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Clay and Montgomery streets, draw bills  
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& Co., New York; Ludlow, Beebe & Co.,  
Phila.; Greenway & Co., Balt.; Ellis &  
Morton, Cincinnati; Loker, Renick & Co.,  
St. Louis; Robinson & Co., Buffalo; Wash-  
burn & Co., Albany; H. A. Rathbone, New  
Orleans; Maclean, Maris & Co., London;  
and at banks in Hartford, New Haven, New  
London, Providence, Worcester, Plymouth,  
New Bedford, Salem, Portsmouth, Port-  
land, Bangor, Keene, Concord, Bellows  
Falls and Woodstock.  
Gold dust shipped and insured to New  
York. o1 tf

**JOHN H. STILL,**  
WHOLESALE & RETAIL  
NEWSPAPER, MAGAZINE, CHEAP PUBLI-  
CATION AND STATIONARY DEPOT.  
Second door to the Post Office, Portsmouth  
Square, San Francisco.

Country Merchants, Express riders,  
and Pedlars can be supplied with all the  
latest Novels, Magazines and Newspapers,  
on the most favorable terms. As great in-  
crements will be offered them, they are  
invited to call before purchasing elsewhere.  
nov19 1m

**BEEBEE LUDLOW & CO.**  
Exchange Brokers and Bankers, have  
removed to Van Dyke & Belden's fire proof  
building, in Clay street, 2d door from the  
corner of Montgomery street.  
Drafts on Beebe, Ludlow & Co., New  
York; Ludlow, Beebe & Co., Philadelphia,  
Josiah Lee, Baltimore, for sale, and in all  
the principal cities, in sums to suit, by  
S. Beebe, Ludlow & Co.,  
o1 tf Clay st, 2d door from Montgomery

**KELSEY, SMITH & RISLEY**  
Importers and Dealers in Boots, Shoes,  
Hats, Caps, Clothing, and Leather and Find-  
ings. Fire proof brick building, in Clay st,  
2d door above Montgomery street.  
W. F. KELSEY, } San Francisco  
GEO. M. SMITH, }  
B. W. RISLEY, New York City. o14 1m

**D. GIBB,** Importer and Commis-  
sion Merchant, Brick building, Central  
Wharf, San Francisco.  
Drafts for sale on Messrs. Watson, Thomp-  
son & Co., Glasgow, payable in London;  
Messrs. John Thomson, Watson & Co., Val-  
paraiso. o1 3m

**MYERS & EMBURG,** Real  
Estate Agents, and Surveyors for the  
towns of Trinidad, Klamath, and for Trinity  
county general.  
Offices—Klamath, corner of Forest  
and Francis streets. In Trinidad, corner of  
Whiting and Edward sts. o3 tf

**L. B. HANKS**  
Dealer in Lumber.  
Office, Bodega steam saw Mills, No. 1  
Gold street. Will furnish to order any  
quantity of dimension stuff, or ordinary  
sizes, with dispatch. o4 6m

**WILLIAM NEWELL,**  
SEXTON AND UNDERTAKER,  
Pacific near Kearny at.  
Every variety of coffins constantly on  
hand. Also, coffin plates, tomb stones, tab-  
lets, rosettes, etc. etc. n5 1m

**R. F. RYAN,**  
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR  
AT LAW.  
Office on Pacific street, nearly opposite  
the Court House. n14 tf

**JOSEPH HENRIQUES,**  
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR,  
County of San Francisco—Commercial  
street, next door to Mrs. Whitney's, up  
stairs. nov18 3w tf

**W. SCHLEIDEN,**  
Ship and Custom House Broker.  
Montgomery street, opposite the Custom-  
house, or at his house in Broadway, between  
Dupont and Stockton streets. o4

**SHIRTS—SHIRTS—GOOD SHIRTS.**  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.  
**A. T. C. LEIGHTON'S** FIRST PREMIUM  
Shirt and Gentlemen's Furnishing  
Store, 20 Commercial street. n7 1m

**H. O'DONNELL,**  
Real Estate Broker and Notary Public,  
on Pacific st., opposite the court house.  
n5 tf

**J. H. Blood & Co.,** Commission  
Merchants and Ship Agents. Office  
northwest corner Clay and Montgomery streets  
up stairs. o1 3m

**P. Smith, M. D. & Theo. Dimond, M.**  
D., office over Kelsey, Smith & Risley's  
store, north side of Clay street, second build-  
ing above Montgomery street. o1

**C. V. Gillespie,** Notary Public,  
Messrs. Howard & Green's new  
brick building, Montgomery street. o14

**TEA—150 boxes, Imperial, gun-  
powder, and young hyson tea, just re-  
ceived per Tepec, and for sale by**  
Pickett & Co.  
n7 tf foot Jackson street wharf.

**THE UNITED STATES** and  
California Express Company. Proprie-  
tors, A. B. MILLER & Co. For the safe  
and speedy transmission of packages, gold  
dust, &c., between San Francisco and the  
United States.

The parties connected with this Express  
are permanently located, and have been es-  
tablished for nearly two years on the Isth-  
mus of Panama, and having hotels at Chag-  
res, Cruces, Gorgona and Panama, are in  
constant communication between the Pacific  
and Atlantic steamers. Their extensive fa-  
cilities (the most complete on the Isthmus),  
enable them at all times and seasons to con-  
vey perfectly safe and with dispatch, every-  
thing entrusted to their care. This com-  
pany have undertaken what their facilities  
enable them to perform, and their responsi-  
bility guarantees to the public.

Shipments by every steamer from San  
Francisco direct through to New York—  
Treasure insured at low rates.

**A. B. Miller & Co.,**  
Office in New York, Wall street, near  
Broadway.  
Kelsey, Smith & Risley, Agents,  
Clay street, 2 doors from Montgomery,  
San Francisco. o10 1m

**ISTHMUS HOTELS.**—CHAGRES,  
CRUCES, GORGONA, and PANAMA.  
The "Irving House," at Chagres, Wal-  
lace W. Williams, assisted by Hugh Miller.  
The "Panama Rail Road Hotel," at Gor-  
gona, under the management of A. B. Mil-  
ler and J. F. Conger.  
The "American Hotel," at Cruces, under  
the management of E. R. Folger and H.  
Miller, Jr.  
The "United States Hotel," at Panama,  
under the management of Adrian B.  
Miller. o10 tf

**UNION HOTEL.**—Under the man-  
agement of ISAAC M. HALL. This es-  
tablishment, situated on Portsmouth  
Square, San Francisco, State of California,  
will be opened for the reception of guests  
on Thursday, the 7th of November, inst.,  
under the management of Isaac M. Hall,  
late of the Eagle Hotel, Rochester, New  
York. The building has been erected  
within the last three months; built of brick,  
entirely fire-proof, five stories high, front-  
ing on Portsmouth Square, 30 feet, and ex-  
tending back 160 feet on Merchant street.  
There are 100 rooms, all finished in the  
most substantial manner, lathed and plaster-  
ed, and hard finished walls. Each room  
is furnished with a stove and other bed-  
room furniture complete; bells are fixed  
up, communicating with the office from each  
room. The dining room will accommodate  
150 persons, and the public may safely con-  
fide in the well known talent of Mr. Hall to  
make this department one of the most invit-  
ing of the house; all the delicacies of the  
season will be found on the table, and the  
wines the best the market affords. The  
proprietors confidently entertain the hope  
that this enterprise, involving at least  
\$150,000, will meet its due appreciation by  
the public, and that the effort on our part  
to present a hotel wherever comfort and  
afforded in hotels in the Atlantic States may  
be found, will meet the reward of public  
patronage.

**A. A. SELOVER,**  
JOHN MIDDLETON, } Proprietors.  
E. V. JOICE,  
San Francisco, Nov. 5, 1850. n6 tf

**WYCKOFF & Co.,** Montgomery  
streets, offer for sale,  
100 lb bbls No 1 Mackerel, 200 qr bbls do.  
300 kits do, 50 half bbls No 1 Con shad, 50  
qr do, 100 kits do, 100 half bbls mess pork,  
100 qr bbls do, 100 bbls prime pork, afloat,  
10,000 lbs dairy cheese, 1000 cases porter,  
cider and assorted syrups, 150 boxes sperm  
candles, 100 boxes patent refined crystal-  
line do, 2000 lbs tobacco, 300 cases pickles,  
100 bbls dried fruits, 5 bbls dried peaches,  
50 boxes raisins, crushed and brown sugars,  
1000 cases pepper sauce and tomato catsup,  
1000 lbs chocolate, 60 doz brooms, 3 cases  
silk hats, 100 pair blankets, and a general  
assortment of groceries and provisions, for  
city and country dealers. n1 1m

**GRAND REAL ESTATE LOT.**  
**TERRY**—Central House property, val-  
ued at \$20,000, consisting of the Central  
House and all its furniture, &c., on Wash-  
ington street.  
Zinc House, and all its furniture, &c., on  
Dunbar's Arcade.  
Frame house on Dunbar's arcade, and  
252 Building lots; making 255 prizes out  
of 1000 tickets, or nearly one-third prize.  
Will be drawn in a few days, by L. Lincoln  
& Co.  
Tickets only \$20, for sale by  
Garniss & Co.,  
corner Washington street and Jones'  
Lane. o18 tf

**TO LET**—Two stores on Mont-  
gomery street. Also, two Offices with  
sleeping apartments attached, in the same  
building. Also one basement, (with office  
in front) 15x56 feet, and 9 feet high, well  
adapted for a bottling establishment or a  
restaurant. Apply to  
James H. Ray,  
Jackson street, one door below Sansome.  
For SALE—150 bbls best quality port  
bread. Also, spikes, wrought and cut, from  
4 to 15 inches. o30 tf

**COPARTNERSHIP**—The under-  
signed have this day formed a copartner-  
ship under the firm of Cooke & Lecount, for  
the purpose of carrying on the wholesale and  
retail stationery business in general. They  
have leased the fire proof store in Wells &  
Co's Buildings, Montgomery st, next door to  
Wells & Co's Banking House.  
Wm. B. Cooke,  
J. J. Lecount. o1 tf

**TO LET**—The Large Store 23 by  
70 feet, finished and ready for occu-  
pancy, on the corner of Davis and Sacra-  
mento streets, and one of the best stands in  
this city for business. The lower floor and  
third story will be let together, or the  
whole will be let to one person, if desired.  
Inquire of  
Wm. C. Hoff,  
at Hoff & Co., Howison's wharf.  
n10

**GOLD DUST** Bought or Insured,  
and forwarded to any part of the  
States, by way of New York or New Or-  
leans, at the lowest rates, by  
Gregory's Express,  
o18 tf Office 280 Montgomery street.

**SAN JOSE. SAN JOSE.**  
**BERFORD & CO'S LINE**  
OF EXPRESS MAIL STAGES,  
HALL & CRANDALL, Proprietors.

Are now running every morning to San  
Jose, leaving Berford & Co's office in the  
plaza, at 8 o'clock, A. M., and the City Hor-  
tel in San Jose at 7 o'clock, A. M.

The reduced rate of fare puts it in the  
power of every one to visit the beautiful  
and healthful valley of Santa Clara. There  
is no more charming drive in California than  
that from San Francisco to San Jose, and  
as one is whirled rapidly through the oak  
openings and across the level plains under  
the skillful driving of Professors Dillon or  
Crandall, who drive their own coaches, he  
finds that pleasure is united with business,  
and wonders he has never made the trip  
before.

The great advantage this line possesses  
over all others, is that the Stages were  
bought expressly for the road, and with a  
particular attention to safety, while the  
drivers, who have served a long apprentice-  
ship from New England to Mexico, make  
the quickest time and never meet with ac-  
cidents, which are so likely to occur with  
the old fashioned stage coaches. We invite  
our friends to give the line a trial.  
n7 tf Berford & Co.

**THREE THOUSAND DOL-**  
**LARS REWARD** will be paid for the  
apprehension and conviction of one JESSE  
J. GRAHAM, who murdered Dennis Ben-  
nett, in Cyante, Santa Cruz, State of Cal-  
ifornia, on the 22d of April, A. D. 1850. The  
said Jesse J. Graham is about six feet high,  
dark complexion, dark eyes, round should-  
ered, stoops when he walks; has a very  
frowning look, and speaks through his nose.  
It was supposed that he had concealed in  
Cyante until the last day of August, or  
about the first of September, and when last  
seen, was met in company with some others  
on the Salinas, on his way to the river  
Colorado, and to Texas, where his mother  
resides. The above reward will be paid for  
his safe delivery at San Francisco, Santa  
Cruz, or Monterey; one thousand by the  
county of Santa Cruz; the other two thou-  
sand by JACKSON BENNETT, brother of  
deceased.  
SANTA CRUZ, Nov. 19, 1850. n23 6m

**A GOOD OPPORTUNITY FOR**  
**INVESTMENT.**—For Sale, all that  
valuable property known as the *San Fran-  
cisco Coffee and Spice Mills*, situated on  
Pine street, near Kearny, consisting of the  
unexpired term of lease of Lot and House,  
with the superior new steam engine of 8  
horse power, together with the large roast-  
ing, mills, tools, beltings, outhouses, stail-  
ing, mules and wagons. Also a large and  
superior horse power. The above Factory is  
capable of roasting and grinding from 2000  
to 3000 lbs. of coffee daily, and can at the  
same time, facilitated by the steam engine  
and machinery, grind spices, corn, &c.  
The above property will either be rented  
or sold on favorable terms. Apply to  
Win. H. Henriquez,  
Commercial st., two doors above Sim-  
mons, Lilly & Co., up stairs.  
n23 2w

**BOARDING.**—Mrs. GRAHAM'S  
SELECT BOARDING HOUSE, corner of  
Broadway and Dupont street, San Fran-  
cisco.  
Mrs. G. having enlarged her house since  
the grading and planking of Dupont street,  
is prepared to accommodate a much larger  
number of boarders than heretofore, and  
will endeavor to make the inmates of her  
house at home.  
Gentlemen doing business down town  
will find this a pleasant location, the streets  
being graded and planked past the house.  
n15 tf

**PRINTING PAPER.**—Proposals  
will be received by the undersigned for  
the supply of first quality Printing Pa-  
per for the State work at the ensuing Ses-  
sion of the Legislature. Medium Book Pa-  
per and Foolscap are the kinds most wanted.  
Address (at Pacific News Office) with sam-  
ples and terms.  
J. Winchester, State Printer.  
n21 10t

**JENNY LIND** Sofa Bedsteads.  
Just received by the Celestial, a super-  
ior article of rosewood and mahogany Sofas,  
with rich damask and plush cushions, pil-  
lows, &c. Also, fine mahogany top centre  
Tables, which will be sold low if applied for  
soon.  
J. A. McCrea & Co.  
Sansome street, between Washington and  
Jackson streets. n8 tf

**FOR SALE.**—A Corrugated Iron  
Store, 30x60; will sell less than freight  
and duties. Also, for sale, a fine piano,  
very melodious, will sell very cheap. Ap-  
ply to W. W. Schreiner,  
on Broadway, between Dupont and Stock-  
ton streets, or at his office, opposite the  
Customhouse. o1

**STEAMER McKIM** for sale.—A  
fine boat for the Oregon or Southern  
coast trade. The commodious and popular  
steam propeller McKIM, in complete run-  
ning order, together with new boilers and  
other machinery, daily expected to arrive  
from the United States, is offered for sale.  
Apply to  
Everett & Co.,  
Howison's wharf.  
o10 tf

**TO SHIPMASTERS** and Consig-  
nees of Vessels.—The subscriber is now  
prepared to supply shipping with water of  
the purest kind from the Joaquin river, at  
the shortest notice, having a vessel with the  
capacity of 20,000 gallons. Orders left with  
the undersigned at the Pilots office, on Cun-  
ningham's wharf, opposite office of steamers  
Senator and New World, will meet with  
prompt attention.  
o11 tf James Nelson, Agent.

**STORE TO RENT.**—The subscri-  
bers being about to remove to their new  
warehouse on California street, offer for  
rent the desirable location at present occu-  
pied by them. Terms favorable to a re-  
sponsible tenant.  
Bragg & Whittemore,  
Sansome street, et.  
n11 tf

**FOR SALE.**—At the Java House,  
an invoice of English Boots, water proof  
coats and caps, pilot cloth jackets, &c. &c.  
McCormack & Co.  
Tea Dealers and Coffee Roasters,  
244 Montgomery st.  
n11

**AN ACT**  
Granting bounty land to certain officers and  
soldiers who have been engaged in the  
military service of the United States.

Be it enacted by the Senate and  
House Representatives of the United  
States of America in Congress as-  
sembled, That each of the surviving,  
or the widow or minor children of  
ceased commissioned and non-com-  
missioned officers, musicians, or priv-  
ates, whether of regulars, volunteers,  
rangers, or militia, who performed  
military service in any regiment, com-  
pany, or detachment in the service of  
the United States, in the late war  
with Mexico, shall be entitled to  
lands, as follows: Those who engaged  
to serve twelve months, or during  
the war, and actually served nine  
months, shall receive one hundred  
and sixty acres; and those who engaged  
to serve six months, and actually  
served four months, shall receive  
eighty acres; and those who engaged  
to serve for any, or an indefinite  
period, and actually served one month,  
shall receive forty acres: Provided,  
That wherever any officer or soldier  
was honorably discharged in conse-  
quence of disability in the service be-  
fore the expiration of his period of  
service, he shall receive the amount  
to which he would have been entitled  
if he had served the full period for which  
he had engaged to serve: Provided,  
The person so having been in service  
shall not receive said lands, or any  
part thereof, if it shall appear by the  
muster rolls of his regiment or corps  
that he deserted, or was dishonorably  
discharged from service, or if he has  
received or is entitled to any military  
land bounty under any act of Con-  
gress heretofore passed.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted,  
That the period during which any  
officer or soldier may have remained  
in captivity with the enemy, shall be  
estimated and added to the period of  
his actual service, and the person so  
detained in captivity shall receive  
land under the provisions of this act  
in the same manner that he would be  
entitled in case he had entered the  
service for the whole term made up  
by the addition of the time of his  
captivity, and had served during such  
time.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted,  
That each commissioned and non-  
commissioned officer, musician, or  
private, for whom provision is made  
by the first section hereof, shall re-  
ceive a certificate, or warrant, from  
the Department of the Interior, for  
the quantity of land to which he may  
be entitled, and which may be located  
by the warrant, or his heirs-at-  
law, at any land office of the United  
States, in one body, and in conform-  
ity to the legal subdivisions of the  
public lands, upon any of the public  
lands in such district then subject to  
private entry; and upon the return  
of such certificate or warrant, with  
evidence of the location thereof hav-  
ing been legally made, to the Gen-  
eral Land Office, a patent shall be  
issued therefor. In the event of the  
death of any commissioned or non-  
commissioned officer, musician, or  
private, prior or subsequent to the  
passage of this act, who shall have  
served as aforesaid, and who shall  
not have received bounty land for  
said service, a like certificate or war-  
rant shall be issued in favor and en-  
ure to the benefit of his widow, who  
shall receive one hundred and sixty  
acres of land, in case her husband  
was killed in battle, but not to her  
heirs. Provided, she is unmarried at  
the date of her application. Provid-  
ed further, That no land warrant is-  
sued under the provisions of this act,  
shall be laid upon any land of the  
United States to which there shall  
be a pre-emption right, or upon which  
there shall be an actual settlement  
and cultivation, except with the con-  
sent of such settler, to be satisfac-  
torily proven to the proper land of-  
ficer.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted,  
That all sales, mortgages, letters of  
attorney, or other instruments of  
writing going to affect the title or  
claim to any warrant or certificate  
issued, or to be issued, or any land  
granted, or to be granted, under the  
provisions of this act, made or exe-  
cuted prior to the issue, shall be null  
and void, to all intents and purposes  
whatsoever; nor shall such certifi-  
cate or warrant, or the land obtained  
thereby, be in any wise affected by,  
or charged with, or subject to the  
payment of any debt or claim incur-  
red by such officer or soldier prior to

the issuing of the patent: Provided,  
That the benefits of this act shall not  
accrue to any person who is a mem-  
ber of the present Congress. Provid-  
ed, further, That it shall be the duty  
of the Commissioner of the General  
Land Office, under such regulations  
as may be prescribed by the Secre-  
tary of the Interior, to cause to be lo-  
cated, free of expense, any warrant  
which the owner may transmit to the  
General Land Office for that pur-  
pose, in such State and land district  
as the said holder or warrantee may  
designate, and upon good farming  
land, so far as the same can be ascer-  
tained from the maps, plots, and field-  
notes of the surveyor, or from any  
other information in the possession  
of the local office; and upon the lo-  
cation being made, as aforesaid, the  
Secretary shall cause a patent to be  
transmitted to such warrantee: And  
provided, further, That no patent is-  
sued under this act shall be delivered  
upon any power of attorney or agree-  
ment dated before the passage of this  
act; and that all such powers of at-  
torney or agreements be considered  
and treated as null and void.  
Approved, September 28th, 1850.

**"A SERIOUS WANT."**—There is a  
sad lack, generally, of information  
upon the subject of the geography of  
our State. And there are no data  
by which the people can gain any re-  
liable information. Will not some  
one who is acquainted with the top-  
ography of the State, project and  
publish a map of the State, subdivid-  
ed into counties, with, as near as may  
be, an estimate of the area of square  
miles in each county? Such a work,  
imperfect as its earlier editions ne-  
cessarily must be, would be of im-  
mense benefit; and subsequent expe-  
rience would correct the errors. We  
believe a work of this kind would  
amplify repay any one who is com-  
petent to undertake it, by meeting with  
a large and ready sale; and we sin-  
cerely hope, that ere long such a  
work may be given to the people of  
California. [Marysville Herald.

We would inform the Herald that  
the want above alluded to, will soon  
be supplied. Large quantities of  
data have gone on to the Atlantic  
States, and one or two maps of Cal-  
ifornia, on a suitable scale, and com-  
parable to any of the State maps, will  
soon be in the market for sale.

**Mr. Lazard's Latest Discover-  
ies.** A few weeks ago we announ-  
ced, says the Literary Gazette,  
Mr. Lazard's return from his ex-  
pedition into the desert, and the  
rescue of some of his larger an-  
tiquities from the mud of the river,  
and their embarkation for Eng-  
land. We have since, however,  
received further particulars of his  
most recent discoveries at Koy-  
unjik, which are extremely inter-  
esting. He found, as was stated,  
a chamber, which is completely  
filled with terra cotta tablets, the  
inscriptions on which, we now  
learn, are stamped in, so that  
though Major Rawlinson thinks it  
very probable, that these tablets  
may be records of the empire, it  
is still not unlikely that many of  
them may, in fact, be duplicates  
of, or a collection of manifestos  
for issuing to the people or their  
immediate rulers; in short, a sort  
of Assyrian official printing office.  
We believe that no fewer than  
twenty-five cases are on their way  
to England. In the pyramid at  
Nimrod, also, a unique statue has  
been discovered. It is from four  
to five feet in height, in gypsum,  
elaborately carved, and very per-  
fect. There is also a high relief  
of the king, very beautifully exe-  
cuted, standing in an arch eight  
feet high, and covered with mi-  
nute inscriptions. Mr. Lazard's  
last communication is dated Akra,  
17th July, where, we are sorry to  
say, he had been confined by a  
severe attack of fever. The ineffi-  
cient assistance he has received  
has caused him to over exert him-  
self; and thus he has been stop-  
ped for a while on his way to  
Van to secure inscriptions. He  
hopes to pass a great party of the  
winter in Babylonia, and to return  
home in the spring. The very  
important discoveries he is now  
making render it imperatively  
necessary that his exertions should  
not be stayed for want of funds.

**THE INAUGURATION** OF RY. C. K.  
STOWE, D. D., as Professor of Natural  
and Revealed Religion in Bowdoin  
College, took place on the 16th ult.

## ITEMS OF FOREIGN NEWS.

Major Browne has addressed a let-  
ter to the merchants and bankers of  
Liverpool, suggesting the establish-  
ment of a balloon railway across the  
Great Desert of Africa, with a terminus  
near Morocco, whence he would lay  
1,000 or 1,500 miles of single rails  
into the desert for the guidance of  
balloons, which are to carry fifteen  
persons each. An immense and lu-  
crative trade with the interior, the  
major conceives, could be carried on  
by this means. He offers to exhibit  
his model free of expense.

The Paris papers state that con-  
siderable uneasiness is expressed in  
the departments dependant upon the  
cultivation of the vine. Not only has  
the weather been cold and the ripen-  
ing of the grape been slow, but an  
insect has been found preying upon  
the fruit and destroying it. The luscious  
grape of Fontainebleau has suffered  
considerably, and from Bordeaux, and  
from the south generally, the accounts  
are very disheartening.

The Academy of Sciences has ap-  
pointed a commission to ascertain the  
remedial powers of a drug, which,  
under the name of Cedran, has been  
introduced for the cure of hydropho-  
bia, and of diseases produced by action  
upon the nervous system. It is said  
to have the property of counteracting  
the poison of the rattlesnake and all  
venomous reptiles.

Alexander Dumas has prepared a  
new play for the Theatre Historique,  
called "Le Capitaine Lajonquier."  
Great expectations are entertained  
that it will prove eminently successful.

Accounts from Perigueux state that  
acts of incendiarism are again be-  
ginning to be of frequent occurrence  
in that department recently. Two im-  
mense farm-houses, with their crops,  
were burnt to the ground.

The President of the Republic vi-  
sited on Sunday the Fair of St. Cloud,  
where an immense assemblage was  
gathered for business and amusement.  
He was exceedingly well received.

Several of the Paris papers speak  
of the reconciliation of two branches  
of the House of Bourbon as a *fait  
accompli*, and appear to anticipate  
important results from that event.

The *Siecle* says that the journey  
contemplated by the President of the  
Republic in the South of France has  
not been abandoned, but merely ad-  
journed.

Two vacancies having taken place  
in the representation of the depart-  
ment of the Cher, a requisition has  
been sent to M. Guizot, praying him  
to become a candidate. It is said  
that Mr. Guizot has consented.

The President of the Republic has,  
since his return from Cherbourg, been  
indefatigable in his attentions to the  
Nepalese Ambassador.

**LEARNING.**—Several educated Ger-  
mans, Hungarians, &c., in this city,  
says the N. Y. Jour. Commerce, have  
organized themselves into an Asso-  
ciation of Teachers, to promote more  
effectually the best system of educa-  
tion and instruction. Dr. F. A. Kor-  
ner, is president; H. Arends, corres-  
ponding secretary; A. Rosler d'Ole,  
late a member of the German parlia-  
ment, recording Secretary; L. R.  
Breisch, treasurer.

We are glad of this movement.  
Few men make better scholars than  
these.

In a bigamy case in Brooklyn,  
N. Y., Judge Rockwell decided that  
a man living with a woman in a state  
of adultery, and calling her his wife,  
is for all legal purposes her husband,  
and may not only be made liable for  
her debts and acts, but may be prose-  
cuted if he wed another during the  
life time of his paramour.

We learn from the *Janetville*  
Gazette (Wisconsin) that the popu-  
lation of Rock county has been as-  
certained to be 20,869. In 1840 it  
was but 1,700. The increase has  
therefore been more than eleven hun-  
dred per centum! This will be found  
hard to beat.

Richard P. Robinson, who  
was tried and acquitted for the mur-  
der of Helen Jewett was in N. York  
a few days since. It is said that he  
has a flourishing farm somewhere in  
the interior of Texas, where his fa-  
mily (a wife and three children) are  
residing.

**"HATH A JEW FEELINGS?"**—Not long  
ago a deputation waited on Sir Moses  
Montefiore to ask his assistance in  
their efforts to build a church. "You  
know my religious opinions," replied  
the excellent Jew; "I cannot give  
you money to build a church, there-  
fore are five hundred guineas for you to  
do what you like with."



DAILY PACIFIC NEWS.

MONDAY MORNING, NOV. 25, 1850.

J. WINCHESTER, Editor.  
H. L. WINANTS and C. M. BLAKE, Assistants.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.

Sir,—At a Primary Election held on Friday, in the 2d Township, to nominate a candidate for Justice of the Peace, in place of William M. Hoffman, deceased, the following is the result of the vote:

|                   |            |
|-------------------|------------|
| Thomas A. Lynch,  | 247        |
| Wm. A. Wood,      | 102        |
| Charles D. Judah, | 94         |
| T. W. Frelon,     | 39         |
| Scattering,       | 2          |
| <b>Total,</b>     | <b>484</b> |

—The inspectors therefore declare THOMAS A. LYNCH duly nominated.

I am very respectfully,  
Your ob't servant,  
HALEY BROWER.

For the Board of Inspectors.  
To BENJ. L. BERRY, Esq., Sec'y of Democratic General Committee.

This is to certify that at a Primary Election held this 22d day of November, for the regular nomination of a candidate for Constable, the following were the votes cast. Whole number, 387.

|                  |            |
|------------------|------------|
| Charles Bartley, | 204        |
| R. C. McIntyre,  | 172        |
| Scattering,      | 6          |
| <b>Total,</b>    | <b>387</b> |

CHARLES BARTLEY receiving the highest number of votes, is duly nominated.

HORATIO P. CARR, } Inspectors.  
BENJAMIN RAY, }  
GEO. F. KOHLER, Clerk.

THE ELECTION TO-DAY.

It will of course be borne in mind, especially by the electors of those districts for which the officers are to be chosen, that a Justice of the Peace is to be chosen to-day in the second district, vice Wm. M. Hoffman, deceased, and a Constable for the first township, in place of Thomas H. Ferris, removed from the county. The poll for the latter will be held at the City Hall, and for the former, at the office of the late Justice Hoffman.

It is perhaps unnecessary for us to remind the Democracy of those districts that the regularly nominated candidates are THOMAS A. LYNCH for Justice, and CHARLES BARTLEY for Constable. These candidates have received the nomination in open, fair caucus, and are entitled to, and should receive, the united and energetic support of the Democratic party. Our opponents will support their candidates, without giving countenance to the independents who enter the field on their "own hook," without countenance or support from any respectable numerous class, and the candidates of the Democracy are equally entitled to our efforts. The fact that the election is not of an important character, should not prevent our friends acting in perfect harmony. Give the ticket, therefore, a united support, and both candidates will be triumphantly elected.

THE ALTA OF YESTERDAY morning again takes ground against a called session of the Legislature, but while it admits that the State is bankrupt, with its usual wisdom and profundity it proposes no remedy. It barks and cavils at every plan for relieving the State of its embarrassments, but has not a single idea to present for itself. It can talk very prettily about what should not be done, but it is mum about what should be. Really, the statesmanship of our neighbor is past comprehension.

THE NEW JAIL.—We understand that the jail in progress of erection is getting along very slow, and the excuse rendered is, that the workmen are paid in scrip. The books of the Treasurer show that nearly \$40,000 have been received, and, we believe, paid over, in money, on the jail fund. Has this amount been expended, or is the scrip bought up at a discount, and paid over to the contractors and workmen at the amount the face calls for?

STREET GRATINGS.—We perceive that the Street Commissioner, instead of improving the suggestion to bore gimblet holes in the planks, to let the water into the sewers, has put down two or three gratings. Further apprehension of a flood is therefore unnecessary. Such enterprise in a public officer, is highly commendable.

A DISAPPOINTMENT.—Two of the French ships so long talked about, and so anxiously expected, anchored in the harbor yesterday. Instead of there being three or four hundred beautiful demoiselles, however, there are only fifty on both ships. What a disappointment.

Any person having in his possession a copy of the "Voyages of Sir Francis Drake," or "Humboldt's New Spain," will find a purchaser by calling at this office.

THE BUSINESS OF THE PROBATE COURT.

During the prevalence of the cholera in our midst, the business of the Probate Court of this city was very much increased, requiring a large proportion of the time of the Probate Judge, and rendering the duties of the office extremely arduous. Although the business which came before the other court of which he is the presiding magistrate, did not suffer for want of attention, still the necessity is suggested of making the Probate Court a distinct and separate tribunal, having committed to its care all the duties which now attach to it, disconnected with the other civil or criminal courts. As we increase in population, the necessity for this course will be more apparent. Individuals die here who are away from friends, in a land of strangers, and little interest is taken in the legitimate disposal of their property, should any be left, making the duties of the Probate Court more arduous and intricate.

We have been informed of instances, during the prevalence of the epidemic, where an individual made a will, appointing an executor, who himself was buried within the next twenty-four hours, and the wills of both came before the Probate Judge to be proven, at the same time.

A FINANCIAL OPERATION.—San Francisco is getting to be some in the way of financing. About six weeks since a German sold a lot to a Frenchman for \$500, receiving \$100 in cash, and his note for the balance, and giving a clear deed to the property. On Wednesday last the Frenchman had occasion to use more money than his bank book placed to his credit, and applied to his German friend, who loaned him just the amount he had paid on the house, \$100. The Frenchman the same day sold the house for \$500 in cash, and forgetting to pay the \$100 borrowed, left in a sailing vessel for the States, leaving the Dutchman with his unpaid note, and minus his house. France was too much for Germany in that trade.

WELL PUT ON.—John Hughes was convicted on Saturday of robbing the two Chinamen between this city and the Mission, some little time since, and sentenced to seven years imprisonment. This is a most righteous judgment, and worthy of commendation, but the question arises, where is he to be confined until the new jail is completed. He can hardly remain in the station house for the next year or eighteen months, and the prison brig is not exactly the proper place. Imprisonment in California is, after all, a kind of play spell, the most disagreeable part being the necessary cessation from thieving except amongst themselves, in doors.

IN PRISON.—There are now fifteen persons confined in the prison under the City Hall, for various offences. The place is not fit even for a temporary station house, and as a permanent prison for confinement of criminals under sentence, is totally inadequate. Fifty-seven prisoners in an underground hall, with a stream of water running through, as on Saturday night! When are we to have the new jail?

CORONER'S INQUEST.—Coroner Gallagher yesterday morning held an inquest on the body of a man having the appearance of a sailor, found dead in a hen-coop at the corner of Pacific and Dupont streets. Verdict of "death from exposure." It appeared that he had made the chicken coop his lodging place for some time past.

A FLOATING STATION HOUSE.—The water passing through the rear yard of the City Hall on Saturday night, burst into the station house, and flooded the floor to the depth of nearly a foot. The front passage way was cut down to admit of its egress through to the sewer in Pacific street.

ANOTHER DIVORCE.—California is advancing in civilization. Husbands are putting aside their wives, and wives their husbands. On Saturday the Superior Court granted a divorce to Mary Dyson from her husband, James Dyson, for various causes. George R. Parbury, Esq., for plaintiff.

REDUCTION OF FARE.—By an advertisement in another column, it will be seen that the Pacific Mail Steamship Company have made a reduction in their rates of fare. The fine steamer Oregon will leave for Panama on Sunday next.

THANKS.—We are very much obliged to the enterprising Express of Messrs. Adams & Co., for copies of the London Times, Morning Chronicle and Evening Sun, up to September 27, received by the last steamer.

HOUSEBREAKING.—The house of C. M. Holbrook, corner of Vallejo and Pinckney street, was broken open on Friday, and one hundred dollars and a quantity of jewelry stolen.

RICHARD EDES, Esq., has received a commission as postmaster of Sacramento.

BURIAL CASES.

The invention of mankind in past and present times, has been taxed to devise the best means for the disposal of the remains of the dead. The advocates of burning them, are still to be found among our own race. Societies in London are organized to secure for this method general favor. But it is not likely to succeed. The urn, which had its origin as a receptacle for the ashes of the burnt flesh and bones of dead men, is, like the cross, a very pretty symbol in poetry, or as a device in the arts, but not in its practical uses. And, besides, why keep a few of the grossest earthy particles of the body—the calcined bones and the alkaline ashes of the flesh—when all that was capable of becoming volatile—that which was alone ethereal, has gone forever?

It is a natural and a humane feeling to wish to preserve intact the deceased body of one who was dear to us while in life. The people of Egypt did this in a manner effectual, though somewhat revolting. With all our arts what can we do better than they have done? Lead coffins have been tried, as in the case of Napoleon's remains, but they are attended with much trouble and great expense; besides, they have usually been found imperfect. The only article of the kind which promises to secure effectually the object desired in a manner at once perfect and cheap, is furnished by a metallic case invented by A. D. Fisk, and which was shown us on Saturday last, by Messrs. Bragg & Whittemore, in Sansone street, above Washington street, of this city.

In this, the body of a deceased person can be kept for any length of time, buried or not. At the same time that the friends can observe all its features through glass at any time previous to interment, or in a tomb. We understand that the city sexton, N. Gray, Esq., Sacramento street, and Mr. Quirk, an undertaker in the same street, are prepared to use the Metallic Burial Case whenever desired so to do. And it is an article that only needs to be known to ensure its very general introduction into use, especially in this country. In the employment of them, it strikes us that a box of redwood should first be sunk in the ground, into which the burial case, which is tastefully adorned in the Egyptian style, should be lowered. The remains then would be effectually guarded from the effects of water and insects, and could easily be removed and identified at any future period.

LOWER CALIFORNIA.

Among the latest items from Mexico we find the following given in the New Orleans Picayune:

"Don Rafael Espinosa has gone to Lower California, in order to establish military colonies there."

We were familiar with this movement some months since. Even as early as July of last year, the Mexican Commission for the boundary survey, began to assemble at La Punta, thirteen miles below the port of San Diego, a horde of soldiers, composed mainly of the dregs of the large cities and prisons of their country. Every few days some of them were deserting, and scattering themselves over the Peninsula, robbing and plundering as they went.

In July last we were informed by a Mexican officer that the government had ordered him to select suitable points in Lower California as military posts; and that he had accordingly chosen Santo Thomas, about 150 miles below San Diego.

This use of the Peninsula is to be regretted. By rights, as the inhabitants of it all expected, and were assured, it should have been ceded to us by the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo. Lower California possesses a glorious climate, and some very fine valleys which would be of value to a civilized and christian people.

FATAL AFFRAY.—The El Dorado, Saturday afternoon, was the scene of another shooting scrape. A man named Dr. Fish was badly beaten, and in attempting to draw his revolver to shoot his antagonist, it exploded, and the ball entered his side near the hip. He lingered until yesterday morning at one o'clock, when he died. He leaves a wife and one child.

THE CENTRAL HOUSE.—This establishment has been closed for a little time for the purpose of making repairs, and will be re-opened to day, under the charge of Messrs. H. A. Mansfield & Co. The tables will be supplied with the best market affords, and each article "cooked to a turn."

CORRECTION.—On the authority of a Panama paper, we stated that the steamship Ecuador was thirty-five days making the trip to Panama. We learn from her owners here, that this is a mistake. She was but nineteen days in going down, exclusive of detentions at San Blas, Acapulco and Realejo. What time these consumed, we do not learn.

The French sloop-of-war Serenise, 28 guns, Capt. Cornear, arrived in our harbor Saturday afternoon, in 28 days from Payta.

THE SANTA CRUZ MURDER.

Our readers will not have forgotten the excitement produced in Santa Cruz by the sudden flight, on the 31st of March last, of Mrs. Catherine Graham, wife of Isaac Graham, a man extensively engaged in lumbering, and reputed to be very wealthy; the wife, it was stated at the time, having taken with her over \$20,000 in cash. This flight of his wife enraged Graham, a man double her age, and he charged her mother's family as being accessory. This circumstance led to the murder, on the 2d of April, of Dennis Bennett, a young brother of Mrs. Graham, by Jesse J., son of Isaac Graham, after having previously fired at an elder brother, and shot Mrs. Bennett, the mother.

An account of the circumstance, published in the News on the 27th of April, contained an intimation, proved subsequently to have been entirely unfounded, that Mrs. Graham went away with a lover. A letter from Mrs. Mary Bennett, in the News of May 17, gave a more particular history of the whole transaction. From that time until now, nothing has been known of the absent wife and children. The following letter from Mrs. Graham, in which she explains the circumstances which induced her flight, will be read with interest. The advertisement appears in the proper column.

To the Editor of the Daily Pacific News—

Sir: You will confer a great favor by giving the within a few insertions in your valuable sheet, for the benefit of your readers and the community at large, that they may be satisfied with the affair that occurred a few months ago, concerning the elopement of my daughter from her husband, Isaac Graham. The reward offered for Jesse J. Graham, you will please insert for six months, and oblige

Very respectfully, yours, &c.,

MARY BENNETT.

SEPTEMBER 27th, 1850.

MRS. MARY BENNETT.—DEAR MOTHER: I presume that you are very much surprised at my sudden departure. I was very sorry to leave without telling you I was going, but I knew that you and my brothers and sister would not let me come away; and I was so tired of being beat and having bowie knives drawn over me, (for twice that old brute Graham drew his bowie knife across my throat till the blood ran down my breast, and I expected every day he would kill me,) and finding it impossible to please the old tyrant, I believed that my only chance was to leave him or be murdered by his hand. So I thought it would be better for me to go to a foreign country, where I would not be troubled with him any more. I see by the Daily Pacific News of the 16th of May, that I have been accused of having a lover with me, which you and the citizens of Santa Cruz pronounce to be false, and which is absolutely false. I did not nor never will degrade myself so far as that; and I see by the same paper that you and my brothers and sister have been cruelly treated on account of my departure, of which you all are innocent. I left without the assistance or knowledge of any of you. I would not take so much trouble to tell of your innocence, but I wish you to show this, my handwriting, to all the people, wherein I state that, let who will say that either my mother, brothers or sister assisted me to get away, or knew anything about it, they tell a positive lie, and the truth is not in them. The paper did not state what had happened exactly; it said Mary Ann had been honorably acquitted of being accessory to my flight, and that Jackson offered two thousand dollars, and the county of Santa Cruz one thousand dollars for Jesse Graham. I am very sorry to see that my child was brought as a witness against my innocent sister, which Graham himself was the murderer. I say he murdered it, because it was abuse that I received from him. His hands were his death. Instead of my living with a lover, I am living in a worthy man's family, after a voyage of four months. I have suffered very much from sickness, and my children have both had some sickness, and are not in very good health now, but they are about. I am miserable since I heard that news. I wish I had stayed and been murdered by his hands; it would have been better for me to die than live and know that my dear people had suffered so wrongfully; perhaps suffered death on account of my departure. As I said before, I am living in a worthy Englishman's family, but I shall never be happy again in this world. I hope these few lines I have traced by candlelight may find you alive and well, but I am afraid they will not. If we meet no more in this world, I hope we may meet in Heaven above. May God be with you all; my children are baptised, and I shall be soon; give my love to all my friends, my dear brothers and sisters, while I remain your ever affectionate daughter, CATHERINE GRAHAM.

Go To-NIGHT.—The Dramatic Museum present a glorious good bill for to-night, and one which will draw a crowd. To witness the drama, and while away an evening, this is the choicest place in town. It makes no boast of a great company, displayed on mammoth bills, and all that sort of thing, like some other establishments, we wot of, but the managers make modest promises, and more than fulfil them.

THE LAST WEEK.—This is the last week of the Model Artist representations at the Adelphi, and the performance each evening will be varied by songs, dances, and other attractions. Mrs. Collyer is laboring to afford a legitimate place of amusement for the public, and the large houses present nightly show that the efforts of the "Greek Slave" are successful.

CHOLERA.—The Board of Health report five new cases of cholera and two deaths for the twenty-four hours ending Saturday noon.

The "Model Restaurant" is the place for a nice meal at any hour. The buckwheat cakes are specially inviting.

JENNY LIND IN PROVIDENCE.

An esteemed friend in Providence, R. I., writes us a welcome letter, in which he makes mention as follows of the visit of the renowned Jenny Lind to the city of *clam-bakes*, and sundry matters connected with her engagement with Barnum. He says: "We have had here the world renowned songstress, Jenny Lind; she sung here on Monday evening, 6th inst. to a crowded house, numbering over 2000 persons,—tickets \$3.—Choice of seats sold at auction; first ticket sold to Col. Wm. Ross, proprietor of Ross' Express, for \$650! Ross was, or seemed to be, perfectly satisfied with the bargain, as he did not attend the concert. After the bids declined to \$1,25 premium, the balance were knocked off at \$1 to some one—name not given—but afterwards proved to be Barnum! Who else would have bought his own tickets to speculate on? There is a great excitement here in consequence, and in addition to this, he furnished no programmes, except to purchasers at 25 cents each. Jenny is disgusted with his management, and it is confidently predicted by the knowing ones, that she will withdraw her connection with him, and go on "wid de concert" on her own hook. As it now stands, Barnum has made a decided ass of himself, for after assuring the public, over and over again, that no tickets would be sold at less than \$3, he himself exposed them for sale at the door long before the concert commenced, at \$2, at \$1, and even at 25 cents. He was seen on the steps of an oyster cellar, by a gentleman who knew him well, selling tickets at 50 cents each, and at the door after the house was filled completely; and after his repeated assurances that no person would be allowed to stand in the aisles, he was heard to say, "plenty of tickets, gentlemen—plenty of room." "There is no room," says some one. "Plenty of room, gentlemen; plenty of tickets, gentlemen; go in over their heads as I do, if you can't find room," says Barnum, and after having filled all the seats which were numbered and laid down on a diagram of the hall, being 1880 seats in all, he allowed himself to go so far beyond what any man thought that even Barnum himself could go, that he thrust in upon the audience who had purchased tickets in good faith, at the most exorbitant prices, over 150 more persons, and those, too, whose presence not at all relished by the majority of the house; an act in Barnum as scandalous as ridiculous. Barnum left immediately after the concert, for Boston, else he might have been in an unpleasant predicament. He was loudly called for at the close of the concert, but was wise enough to keep out of the way. Had he shown himself, he would have been greeted by one of the most cordial hissing that ever greeted mortal ears. The audience were ripe for it, and it would have been given with a hearty good will. Jenny herself is a little angel, speaking after the manner of men; one of the sweetest songsters I ever listened to. One of the sweetest! I forgot what I was writing; my pen should have said the sweetest. Aye, and such a charming good natured lass, too. I am told that Barnum's intercourse with her is of the most parliamentary order. If any thing is wanted, Mr. Barnum is announced; shown in; the business proceeded with at once; terminated. "Any thing more, Mr. Barnum?" If nothing, she bows him out without hesitation. He cannot approach her except in this manner. She is heartily tired of the engagement, so I am told, and it's the bond that holds her. Barnum has got it fixed, and insists upon his 'pound of flesh.' Yours,

G. A. L."

"OLD BLOCK."—We shall give tomorrow another of the "Pen-Knife Sketches," from the whittlings of "Old Block," and are glad to be able to promise our readers a continuance of them. The principal subject of the next will be the "Trader" of the mountains.

Should we get our new type 'laid' in time, we shall endeavor to give the whole series in our next steamer paper. They would be read with great interest, and extensively circulated in the States.

EGG BUSINESS.—The Hallowell Gazette says:—

"We have been informed by a person engaged in the egg business, that two hundred thousand dozen of eggs have been sent from that place to Boston in the steamer Ocean, the present season."

MARRIED.

On Sunday, 24th inst., by the Rev. Mr. Hudard, Capt. ISRAEL BRAYTON of Massachusetts, to Miss MARY EMELIA SUSA, daughter of Capt. Joseph SUSA of Lisbon.

Deaths reported for the Pacific News, by N. Gray, City Sexton, Sacramento, for Nov. 23d and 24th:—  
Jas. Henry Hughes, Sydney, 50, cholera.  
Joseph S. Cameron.  
Dr. John Fish, New York, 29, shot.  
Gregorio Opaco, Chili, 40, cholera.  
Francis Barker, 24, cholera.  
Charles Papie, France, 45, dysentery.  
John Robinson, Conn., 60, exposure.  
M. Bolcom.  
Wm. P. Grenell, New Bedford, 53.

MARINE INTELLIGENCE.

CLEARED.

November 23.  
Steamship California, Budd, Oregon.  
Steamer Gold Hunter, Blunt, Portland.  
Ship Far West, Biward, Hong Kong.  
Ship Japan, Bigelow, S. Island.  
Ship Carrington, Abbot, Shanghai.  
Bark Almada, Thayer, S. Islands.  
Br bark Portland, Goble, Luncheon.  
Br bark Sacramento, Watkins, Hobart Town.  
Br bark Novelty, Harrison, New Zealand.  
Brig Lowell, Shandon, San Diego.  
Mex brig Jupiter, Undin, Mazatlan.  
Schr Samuel Roberts, Tucker, Sandwich Islands.

ARRIVED.

Ship W. H. Harbeck, Chinn, 148 ds fm N York, to Chichester.  
Fr ship Ferrier, Griler, 188 ds fm Havre to Davison & May.  
Fr ship Verta, 190 ds fm Havre, to master.  
Ship Henry, Gill, 250 days fm Boston, to master.  
Fr ship Margaret, Guerineal, 150 ds fm Bordeaux, to Bruyere.  
Ship Caroline Read, Read, 142 ds fm New York, to Cooke Bros & Co.  
Ship Nisida Stewart, Sales, 144 ds fm N York, to master.  
Fr sloop-of-war Seireuse, 28 guns, Capt Cosnear, 28 ds fm Payta.  
Ship Element, Bursley, 196 ds from New York, to Turner, Fish & Co.  
Belgian ship Charles V., Cardigan, 70 ds fm Valparaiso, to DeBoom & Co.  
Bark W. H. Shailer, Gardner, 72 ds from Manila, to Everett & Co.  
Fr bark Rocher de Malo, Spignor, 64 ds fm Valparaiso, to Gardott & Co.  
Fr bark Abell, Smith, 58 ds fm Realejo, to master.  
Dutch bark Japan, Van Slafen, 60 days fm Panama, to master.  
Bark Rosalie, Soules, 68 ds from Valparaiso, to S. H. Vire.  
Br bark Sarah Hooper, Dean, 17 ds from Honolulu, to master.  
Br bark Indian, Smith, 85 ds fm Tombey, to Whitehead, Waddington & Co.  
Br bark Edward, Boyd, 194 ds fm Liverpool, to Everett & Co.  
Bark Sarah Sheafe, Sands, 188 ds fm N York, to master.  
Bark Margaret, Reynegon, 180 ds from Philadelphia, to master.  
Ham bark Elizabeth, Janson, 57 ds from Valparaiso, to Meyer & Co.  
Bark Baltic, Oterbridge, 200 ds fm Philadelphia, to master.  
Bark Race Horse, Babcock, 109 ds from Boston, to master.  
Bark Ralph Cross, Davis, 70 ds fm Valparaiso.  
Bark Philena, Swain, 76 ds fm Panama, to Cooke Bros.  
Bark Autumn, Green, 195 ds fm Mystic, to B. F. Hoxie.  
Bark Delia Chapin, Osgood, 176 ds from Philadelphia, to master.  
Bark Juno, Hard, 213 ds from Boston, to master.  
Bark Susan Jane, Pryor, 57 days from Manila, to master.  
Br brig Diana, M'Pherson, 197 ds from Glasgow, to D. Gibb.  
Brig Arabian, Tucker, 31 ds fm Sydney, to Moore, Folger & Hill.  
Brig Almira, Codd, 22 ds fm Lahaina, to Moore, Folger & Hill.  
Schr La Bella Francisca, Bull, 140 ds fm N York, to master.  
Schr Harrison, Riley, 190 ds fm Boston, to master.  
Brem schr Julius, Stege, 70 ds fm Callao, to master.  
Schr William Allen, Gillan, 345 ds from Salem, to master.  
Schr Decatur, Randall, 30 ds fm Mazatlan, to master.  
Br schr Isabella, Godge, 91 ds fm Hobart Town.  
Pr schr Maria, Rosa, 68 ds fm Tombey, to supercargo on board.

SPOKEN.

By the La Bella Francisca, Nov 5th, in lat 11 31 n, long 116 40 w, ship Portsmouth, Munro, fm New York, for this port. Nov 15th, in lat 27 42 n, long 130 23 w, brig Ness, fm Valparaiso, do.  
By the Sarah Sheafe, Sept 8th, off Cape Horn, ship Haidée, 98 ds fm Phila, and bk Baltic, 120 ds fm do, both for this port.  
By the W. Allen, Nov 16th, brig Lavinia, hence for New Zealand.  
By the Margaret, Nov 17th, in lat 35 n, long 127 w, Br bark Kapt, from London for this port.  
Per Caroline Read, Oct 23d, in lat 12 25 n, long 108 20 w, ship Diadem, bound for Callao; same day, bark Cachalot, hence for Panama; Nov 19th, Fr bark Arabella, with female passengers.

MEMORANDA.

The Elizabeth left at Valparaiso, Sept 26, Brem schrs Rosa, Hermann, and Daniasch Coquette; Ham barks Christian and Charlotte, to sail for this port in a day or two.  
Per W. Allen and La Bella Francisca—Bark Autumn, and schr Sheriff, old fm Talcahuana for port Oct 4th; brig Zoe, for do, via Valparaiso, Oct 12th. Bark Edward Fletcher, hence, had arr, and would return to this port with a cargo of coal.  
Per Sarah Hooper—Schr Penelope old fm Honolulu for this port same day; brigs Fortunio and Copiapo, and Br bark Eleanor Lancaster, to follow soon.  
The Capt of the Diana, reports having seen a vessel ashore south of this port; she was shut in by the rocks, and the sea breaking over her.  
The bark Sarah Sheaf performed the passage fm N York in 168 ds with heaving to.

Per Chapin, John Cope died on board 1st July. Jas W. Tarbot fell from the main-topgallant yard, and was lost. Left at Rio Aug 11, schr Onk Leaf, fm Boston, brig Petersburg, fm N. Y., brig Zelema, all bound here.  
At Mazatlan, Oct. 20th, ship Charleston, of N. Y., bound here.  
Per Sterling—Left at Manila, Sept. 13, ship Reindeer, hence for China; dismantled in a Typhoon, July 18th. Put in to repair. From Sept 30 to Oct 4th, she experienced a succession of gales from the N E to the S E, in which she lost main top-gallant and mizen top-masts, flying-jib and jib-boom, fore top-mast; main top-sail yard, sprung, and fore yard carried away. Edward Howard, a seaman, died Nov. 17th.  
Per Vesta—Left at Valparaiso, French barque Duchess Ann, Coloma.

GRAND LODGE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA. In consequence of the prevalence of an epidemic at Sacramento City, and upon the application of several Lodges under the jurisdiction of the Grand Lodge (in consequence thereof) for a postponement of the semi-annual meeting from the first to the fourth Tuesday in November, I have deemed it prudent and proper to direct the said semi-annual meeting to be adjourned accordingly. I therefore give notice that the Grand Lodge of the State of California will meet for the transaction of business at Sacramento City on the fourth Tuesday in November inst., at which time officers and members thereof, and the Delegates from the several Lodges under its jurisdiction, will assemble.

J. D. Stevenson,  
Grand Master.

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POLITICAL NOTICES.

**ELECTION NOTICE**—County of San Francisco, In pursuance of the power vested in me by law, notice is hereby given that an Election will be held on Monday, the 25th day of November inst., for a Justice of the Peace for the Second Township of said county, vice William M. Hoffman, deceased; and for a Constable for the First Township of said county, in place of Thomas H. Ferris, removed from the county. The Polls will be opened for the First Township at the City Hall, and for the Second Township in the office recently occupied by William M. Hoffman, Esq., deceased, south side Portsmouth Square.

ROD'K N. MORRISON,  
County Judge.  
n14 State

**INDEPENDENT CANDIDATE FOR CON- STABLE**—We are authorized to announce Capt. R. P. MAHONY as a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Justice Hoffman.

**FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE**—At the solicitation of many friends, Capt. BENJ. F. HANNA has consented to offer himself as candidate for Justice of the Peace, to fill the vacancy occasioned by the decease of Wm. M. Hoffman, Esq. n14 te

**COL. WM. W. GIFT**, the honest and faithful public officer, has consented to become a candidate for the office of Justice of the Peace, in place of the late Wm. M. Hoffman. n13 2w

**DAVID W. THOMPSON** is a candidate for Constable at the ensuing special election. n15 te

BUSINESS NOTICES.

**NOTICE**—Five tons of Marble, suitable for Gravestones, will be sold at auction on Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock, on Cunningham's Wharf, by Messrs. Starr, Minurn & Co., Auctioneers. n25 2t

**ATTENTION**—A special meeting of the "Washington Guards" will be held at their Armory, Jackson st., above Kearny, on Tuesday evening, the 20th inst., for the purpose of reorganizing, according to the laws of the State. By order of A. BARTOL, Capt. D. KENNEDY, 1st Serg't. n23 3t

**Consignees per Steamer GOLD HUNTER**, are hereby notified that all freight by this vessel will be landed on Cunningham's Wharf This Day, and their attention to receipt of same is solicited. CHARLES MINURN, Agent, nov20 Cunningham's Wharf.

**SACRAMENTO AND MARYSVILLE EXPRESS**—Daily. Owing to the large steamers getting around nearly every trip, we shall send our express (during the low stage of the river) on the light draught boats, thereby ensuring the certain delivery of parcels, &c., in season.

**OFFICES. AGENTS.**  
Sacramento City, G. E. CLARK.  
New York, THOMPSON & HITCHCOCK.  
Marysville, M. & B. F. CHEESMAN.  
Portland, Oreg'n, J. ELLIOTT.  
Honolulu, S. L. MITCHELL & HUTCHINS.  
A Submarine Armor, complete, for sale. Mr. Thomas A. Ayers will please call at this office. JOSEPH W. GREGORY, Proprietor and Manager, 280 Montgomery street. nov18 tf

**NOTICE**—Masters of vessels requiring Pilots outward, or wishing to settle pilotage bills, will please call at the office corner of Montgomery and California streets opposite the Custom House, or at Charles Minurn's office of steamer Senators and New World, Clark's Point.

**W. J. Burnside, Agents.**  
James Nelson.

**NOTICE**—The subscriber will leave for the States per steamer Carolina, and has appointed Mr. J. C. Woods his Attorney during his temporary absence.

**Health Commissioner's Office**—Dr. John J. Thorp, Health Commissioner, Office in Iron Building, at the end of pier 30 of Jackson street. ol tf

**Fare Reduced for San Jose**—From the Empire House—Messrs Ackley & Morrison, run a Daily Stage Coach, for the above place, at the reduced rate of \$16 per single passenger. ol tf

**LOTS FOR SALE**—16x50 vara lots at the Mission Dolores. These lots are beautifully situated at the Mission, as the great thoroughfare from San Francisco to the Pueblo of San Jose runs through them. To any person desirous of a splendid bargain, here is a chance. Said lots are adapted for either building, grazing, or farming. Being so near the market of this city and first rate soil. To any person wishing to plant either grain or vegetables, which occupation is more certain than gold digging, a fortune could soon be realized. For further particulars, enquire of Norman Assing, Proprietor of the Macao & Woonung Restaurant, opposite City Hotel, cor. Kearny and Commercial sts. San Francisco, Nov. 23. n23 1f

**SPERM OIL, GROCERIES, &c.**, now landing and for sale, the following desirable articles:  
600 gallons spring bleached sperm oil  
97 boxes chemical olive soap  
20 do family washing do  
300 tins Mrs Miller's tobacco  
50 do fresh buckwheat meal  
2000 lbs pure ground coffee, in 1 lb tins  
250 do nutmegs, in small packages  
50 boxes allspice, cinnamon, cloves, &c  
60 half and quarter boxes No 1 macerated.

A general assortment of family groceries always on hand, for sale by Reynolds & Co., Kearny street, between Washington and Jackson sts. n23 6t

**TO LITHOGRAPHERS**—An excellent opportunity is offered to purchase a complete set of lithographer's implements, consisting of a large press, highly finished stones of various sizes, paper ink of different colors; sand, rollers, and every other article necessary to the artizan's wants. The articles can be seen at Palmer & Co.'s Express Office, on Washington street, opposite the National Hotel. The whole invoice will be sold low for cash. Apply as above to [n23] B. W. PALMER.

**FOR SALE**—Just received, per ship Nisidia Stewart, from New York, Scarlet twilled flannels, best India drills, 3 ply Brussels and tincy carpets, White and colored blankets, Flannel clothing, cloth clothing, Paper hangings, boots and brogans, rice, Gallego and Hanalt flour, corn meal, Water crackers, hominy, sausages, hfbbls Fork in whole and half barrels, Tongues in hf bbls, smoked beef in bbls Ham, bacon and shoulders in boxes, Pickled hams in tes, lard, cheese, Butter in kegs of 15 lbs, oysters Scallops, clams, mess shad in hf bbls Mess mackerel in hf and qr bbls Herrings, Molasses in kegs, Leaf sugar hf boxes crushed do hf bbls Candies assorted, currants in hf bbls Lime juice, sardines, pecan nuts, raisins, Adamantine candles, sperm do, cigars Tobacco, pickles, Vinegar, brandy Dublin porter, E. I. pale ale, Champagne cider, Phila. stout and ale Mudeira, sherry and port wine, Champagne, tumbblers, brooms, Furniture, matches, sole leather, Tin plate sheathing, nails, linseed oil Manila rope, &c. &c. White lead, pepper Rio coffee, London mustard, cassia, Table salt, hay, do, sweet chocolate. Gilmor Meredith, n25tf cor. Sacramento and Leidesdorff sts.

**THE CENTRAL HOUSE**—Messrs. H. A. Mansfield & Co. beg leave to announce to their friends and the public generally, that they have leased and thoroughly repaired, refitted and remodelled this house, and will open the same this day (Monday, Nov. 23rd), and will be happy to receive all who may favor them with a call. Mr. Mansfield takes this opportunity to return his sincere thanks for the liberal patronage bestowed on him while at the National Hotel, and hopes by strict attention to business and long experience in catering for the public, to merit and receive a continuance of their favor.

The Central House, as its name indicates, is centrally located on Washington street, between Kearny and Montgomery, and offers many inducements to persons visiting the city on business or pleasure. The table will be supplied at all times with the best of the market affords, and the Bar is furnished with the choicest Wines, Liquors and Cigars. No exertions will be spared to render this house unsurpassed by any in the city. H. A. Mansfield & Co. San Francisco, Nov. 23, 1880. n25 1w

**MANILLA PRODUCE**—Just received per bark Wm. H. Shailer, and for sale by the subscribers:  
2400 piculs sugar,  
200 M No. 1 cigars,  
200 M. Manilla cheroots,  
400 coils steam made cordage,  
6 coils hawsers,  
25 whale line,  
17 bags pepper,  
1 bag cloves,  
40 boxes preserves,  
10 boxes chocolate,  
30 dozen lamb's wool shirts,  
60 bales brown drills,  
5 bales sheetings,  
1 bale grass cloth.

Everett & Co.,  
Howison's Pier.  
n25 1w

**FISK'S METALLIC BURIAL CASES**—This article is entirely superior, the use of lead or mahogany coffins in the Atlantic States, and as a means of preserving the body for a long time without decomposition is highly recommended by some of the most eminent chemists and physicians of New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Washington. Samples can be seen at Messrs. N. Gray & Co.'s and J. D. Quirk & Co., undertakers, Sacramento street. A personal inspection is all that is necessary to satisfy the most sceptical of their utility. For further particulars enquire of Bragg & Whittemore, n25 1m Sole agents for California.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE**—All persons having claims against the estate of Joseph B. Williams, deceased, are hereby requested to present the same to the undersigned, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from this date, in default of which they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to  
Thomas B. Cushing, Adm'r,  
Merrimack House, corner of Pine and Sansome sts. n25 2aw1w  
San Francisco, Nov. 23, 1880.

**R. F. RYAN, ABOGADO, JURISCONSULTO Y PROCURADOR**, Calle de Kearny, lado del oeste, tercera casa de la esquina de la calle Pacifica. Correlor y Agente para la venta de Terrenos y ca. Se extienden documentos de todo clase, y traducciones de los idiomas Frances, Espanol, Italiano, Portuguez y Aleman. n25

**TIMBER! TIMBER!**—Square Timber, 12x12, 14x14, 8x8 and 6x6—Also 80 Piles, 50 to 75 feet long, for sale by Brown & Co., Commercial Buildings, Central Wharf. n25 2t

**FOR SALE CHEAP**—A one horse SPRING WAGON and HARNES. Also, a HORSE and CART. Enquire of DANIEL CRUDEN, Albany Market, corner of Pacific and Montgomery streets. n25 4t

**PICKED UP ADRIFT**—A ship's boat, which the owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Enquire of JAMES H. GOODMAN, Jackson st. Wharf. n25 2t

**MINERS' TRUNKS**—A few Trunks, taken from the cellar beneath Messrs. Jones, Carter & Co.'s store, may be had by the parties identifying them and paying expenses, on application to the undersigned. If not called for before the first of January, 1881, they must then be sold to pay charges. John Archibald, At Dr. Bevan's, Apothecary, Broadway, above Stockton street. n25 1t

**R. F. RYAN, AVOCAT ET AVOUE**, Rue Kearny, troisieme maison du coin de la rue Pacifica. Agent pour la vente de Terrains, etc. Tout genre de documents et contrats d'ienes, et traductions faites des langues Francaise, Espanole, Italienne, Portugaise et Allemande. n25

**PURSE FOUND**—Found in the Post Office yesterday, a Purse containing sundry pieces of coin. The owner can have the same by inquiring of E. S. DEAN, at the office of Parsons & Dean, Clark's Point. n23 3t

**PILES & SQUARE TIMBER**—The cargo of the brig Colorado now landing, 10x12, 12x12, 8x8, &c. &c. and for sale by Brown & Co., Commercial building, head of central wharf. nov19 1w

AUCTION SALES.

J. C. BELL, Auctioneer.  
By KETTELLE, MAHONY & CO., (Washington, near Montgomery street.)  
On WEDNESDAY, Nov. 27, at 10 o'clock, at sales room.

For account of whom concerned, to pay freight and charges, on board ship John Baring, from New York, the following merchandise, viz:  
Shipped by J. D. Leavenworth and consigned to order, 22 bundles lumber, doors and sash, marked P H A: 2 bundles doors marked B in diamond, Q outside; 17 bundles sash and blinds, marked J in diamond, R outside; 3 bundles sash, marked M D L M; 2 buds sash and doors, marked C in diamond; 30 buds panel doors and sash, marked H H; 25 bxs bedsteads & marked R in diamond, S outside; 19 bxs and cases bedsteads and marble top centre tables, marked L S in diamond.

Shipped by L. Conklin and consigned to order, 355 assorted boards and planks, 204 timber scantlings and wall strips; 322 half inch boards, 102 dressed boards and planks, 3 lbs merchandise, marked S S C and S C. Shipped by R. Schuyler, and consigned to J. Julian Guitog, 34 pieces, 66 packages, 3 buds sash and doors, constituting a house 20 by 25, complete, marked N in diamond, O outside, \*20x25; 6 cases, 1 barrel, 1 keg and 1 basket merchandise, marked N in diamond, O outside.

Shipped by Moore and consigned to order, 44 packages panel doors, marked R in diamond. Shipped by Oliver Hull and consigned to Edward C. Patterson, 1 box merchandise, marked H in diamond, P outside. Shipped by John B. Murray and consigned to order, 1 box merchandise, marked J B M.

Shipped by A. W. Hart, and consigned to Joseph Rochon & Co, 1 trunk merchandise marked S in diamond, M outside. Per order W. A. Hussey, master ship John Baring. At 11 o'clock.

For account of whom concerned, to pay freight and charges, the following goods on board the ship Thracian, from Boston, viz: Shipped by Wm. Churchill and consigned to Sam'l Merritt, 1 spruce and pine house-frame, marked W C X. Shipped by Atwood L. Drew and consigned to order, one spruce and pine house-frame, marked D. Per order W. A. Fullansbee, master ship Thracian.

At Private Sale—60 tons superior Oat Hay, 500 bags Potatoes. n25

**LOANS**—Cash advanced on bond and mortgage sales; purchases and exchanges of real estate effected; city scrip and State scrip bought and sold, or loans made thereon, the highest price being paid for either; approved commercial bills cashed at the lowest rate; temporary advances made on every kind of convertible security; gold dust bought; rents and notes collected and all kinds of monetary operations effected with promptitude and dispatch. F. Marriot & Co.

Loan, Land and Money Agents, 276 Montgomery street, Bolton & Barron's Fireproof store. nov20 tf

**FOR SALE**—From ship Powhattan, just arrived, lying at Cunningham's wharf,  
407 tons Cumberland coal,  
16 " best anthracite coal in casks,  
314 small bales best timothy hay, weighing from 50 to 60 lbs. each. Apply to the office of F. Argenti & Co., In Montgomery street, between Clay and Commercial. nov20 tf

**WARRANTED TO CURE**, or money refunded! Crocker's celebrated Cholera, Dysentery, and Diarrhoea Syrup. This celebrated and unrivalled Medicine is of immediate efficacy in the most violent and obstinate cases of Cholera Morbus, Spasmodic Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhoea, looseness of the bowels, gripings, and all other irregularities of the intestines. For sale by J. Cowell & Co. corner of Jackson and Sansome sts n4 ms

**TO RENT**—The second story of the California Exchange, corner of Clay and Kearny streets. There are thirteen private rooms, suitable for offices or sleeping apartments; also one large room 65 by 31 feet, suitable for Billiards, &c.—They are all well finished, bathed and plastered. A part or the whole can be rented and possession given immediately. Enquire on the premises. nov21 1w

**PARSONS & DEANE, GENERAL SHIPPING OFFICE**, Clark's Point. Shipping and Commission business attended to with dispatch. Passengers for any port on the Pacific or the Islands will do well to call and satisfy themselves of the facilities offered. W. F. PARSONS. E. S. DEANE. nov21 tf

**100 DOLLARS REWARD**—Any person giving such information as will bring to justice the individuals who committed the depredations on board brig James Gaskie, on Friday night, Oct. 25, shall receive the above reward. n2 tf

**PICKED UP ADRIFT**—On the night of the 29th, a large raft of timber, which the owner can have by proving property and paying charges. Apply to Mr. Etherington, North Beach. nov22 3t

**SPLENDID NEW BUGGY**, on a very light principle, with seats for four. For sale at the Java House by McCormack & Co. Tea Dealers and Coffee Roasters, 244 Montgomery st. n11

**LAMP OIL, Lamp Oil**—For sale by the subscribers in lots to suit purchasers. The cargo of ship Envoy, being the handsomest lot of Lamp oil ever brought into the market. Jno. T. Little & Pope, n11 tf Washington street.

**FOR SALE**—The entire cargo of the schr Mary W., just arrived from Lahaina, S. I., consisting of Potatoes, onions, eryup, &c. &c., by Pickett & Co., n23 tf foot of Jackson street wharf.

**WAS PICKED UP** and left alongside the bark "Bohemia," a Scow Pile Driver. The owner or owners are requested to come forward, pay charges, and take her away. Apply on board bark Bohemia, off Jackson st. Wharf. n23 tf

**FOR SALE**—The Stock, Stand, and Fixtures of the Suffolk Restaurant, situated upon Commercial street; has been open three weeks, and has already 20 permanent boarders. The proprietors being compelled to return home, the above will be sold at a bargain. Apply on the premises. nov23 3t

**AT PRIVATE SALE**—60 tons superior Oat Hay, 500 bags potatoes for nov20 Kettelle, Mahony & Co.

**PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY**—The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's steamer OREGON, Lieut. C. Patterson, Commander, will leave for PANAMA, touching at the usual ports, on Sunday, Dec. 1, 1880, at 4 P. M. Treasure for shipment received at the company's office, corner of Leidesdorff and Sacramento streets, on Friday, 20th, and Saturday, 30th inst. Passengers to be on board at noon of the day of departure.

The Oregon will connect with the U. S. Mail steamer Cherokee or Empire City, to leave Chagres for New York, via Kingston, as well as with the U. S. Mail steamer Philadelphia, to leave Chagres for New Orleans on arrival of passengers and treasure. Passage to Panama, in the saloon, \$275 " " lower cabin, 250 " " steerage, 125

For passage, apply to Gilmore Meredith, Agent, n25 cor. Leidesdorff and Sacramento sts.

**FARE REDUCED.** LAWS LINE PACIFIC STEAMERS. For PANAMA. The splendid steamship REPUBLIC, Capt. Hudson, will leave San Francisco for PANAMA, on FRIDAY, the 29th of November, connecting with the steamer GEORGIA, which leaves Chagres on the 26th December, the days of sailing having been changed, passengers taking the REPUBLIC will be in New York two days earlier than those taking any other line from Chagres.

Gold dust taken and insured. Through tickets to New York and New Orleans may now be secured by application to Oliver Charlack, n14 office, on Jackson st, below Sansome.

**FOR SANTA CLARA AND SAN JOSE**—The new Steamer NEW STAR, Capt. E. Sampson, Jr., will leave Commercial Wharf on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, for the above places, stopping at Alviso, where stages will be in readiness to convey passengers to the above places immediately on the arrival of the boat. This Steamer will commence on Friday next, leaving regularly at 9 o'clock, A. M. For freight or passage apply on board till further notice.

N. B. A regular package express for San Jose will accompany this line, and all business submitted to their charge will receive prompt attention. nov19 tf

**PEOPLE'S LINE FOR SACRAMENTO CITY**—Every afternoon, from Cunningham's Wharf, at 4 o'clock, P. M., the well known fast sailing Steamers NEW WORLD and SENATOR, will leave for Sacramento City, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 2 P. M. SENATOR, Capt. John Van Pelt, every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 2 P. M. SENATOR, Capt. John Van Pelt, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 2 P. M.

Freight or passengers taken at the lowest rates. Tickets can be had, and all information can be obtained by applying to the clerks on board, or to Charles Minurn, Agent, On Cunningham's Wharf.

N. B. All persons are hereby notified that Messrs. Hawley & Co., are the only authorized Express on these boats, and all packages of value or gold dust left with the clerks, are at the risk of the parties leaving them, or of the parties to whom they belong. And any person sending letters or other Express matter, they will be charged \$50 per package. n18

**FOR SACRAMENTO CITY**—The fine new steamer JENNY LIND, Capt. P. E. Le Fevre, will leave Sacramento City, every TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY, at 4 o'clock, P. M. For freight or passage apply on board, or to Fred'k P. Green, Agent, Sansome st., between Jackson and Washington. n9 tf

**FOR SACRAMENTO CITY**, touching at BENICIA.—The new steamer FASHION, Captain T. N. Egry, will leave her berth foot of Broadway, Clark's Point, every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday. For freight or passage apply to F. Vassault & Co., Commercial Wharf, Clark's Point, or on board of the steamer. Freight taken from any part of the city or harbor free of charge. ol

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**FOR NEW YORK**, via SANDWICH ISLANDS.—The clipper brig JOSEPH BUTLER, Peleg Ray master, will have immediate dispatch for the above named ports. Freight taken on reasonable terms. Apply to ALANSON SWAIN, California st., 3 doors below Montgomery. n25 11t

**FOR SANTA CRUZ, MONTEREY, SANTA BARBARA, SANTA PEDRO AND SAN DIEGO**—The fast sailing clipper schr JAMES R. WHITING, W. W. Baker, master, will have immediate dispatch for the above ports. For freight or passage, apply to Woodward & Morris, n23 6t Clay street wharf.

**FOR PANAMA AND VALPARAISO**—The fast sailing coppered and copper fastened bark SELMA, 450 tons burthen, Andrews, master, now lying at Central wharf, will sail for PANAMA direct on MONDAY, 25th inst. She has been newly fitted up expressly for passengers, and her accommodations are unsurpassed. Her provisions will be of the best quality, and every attention paid to the comfort of passengers. An experienced Physician will accompany the bark. Persons are requested to go on board and examine for themselves. For passage apply to the Captain on board, or to Cronise, Bro. & Co., cor Montgomery and Jackson st, Callard & Co., Clark's Point, Candell & Co., Steamboat Hotel, Central Wharf.

**FOR SALE CHEAP**—The barque RHINE, well found in sails and rigging, lately rebuilt, and coppered two years since. Will be sold low on immediate application to Winchester, Payne & Co., Corner of Washington and Sansome sts. nov20 tf

**OHIO HOTEL**—Situated east side of Dupont street, between Valejo and Green streets, being one of the most healthy and pleasant locations in this city, and commanding a view of both bays and nearly the whole city, (with two houses in rear if required) will be let from 1st of next month, on reasonable terms. To any party wishing to establish permanently, and who understands the business thoroughly, a good chance will be offered. There is at present 35 boarders, and the house is, in part, furnished. A good well and plenty of water attached to the premises. The owner will take half interest in the business if a suitable arrangement can be made. Apply to H. O'DONNELL, Real Estate broker, Pacific st., opposite the Court house. Houses and lots for sale or rent in different parts of the city. nov19

**COPARTNERSHIP**—Auction and Commission Merchant. The subscribers having formed a copartnership under the style of KETTELLE, MAHONY & Co., for the purpose of transacting a general Auction and Commission Business, and having taken the spacious sales room on Washington, a few doors below Montgomery street, are prepared to receive consignments of Real Estate, Cargoes and Merchandise in general for public or private sale, on the most liberal terms. Goods can be received into store, direct from lighters. We are prepared to make liberal advances upon consignments. A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited, and satisfaction warranted. William G. Kettelle, Frank S. Mahony.

We are at liberty to refer to Samuel Brannan, Esq., Messrs Howard & Green, Albert Wardwell, Esq., Mess. Geo. N. Shaw & Co., Elisha Atkins, Esq., John L. Mahony, Esq., John L. Edmonds, Esq., Mess. Mahony & Kennis, Kettelle, Mahony & Co., San Francisco, Oct. 25, 1880. o28 1ms

**GUADALUPE MINING COMPANY**—A few shares may be had on advantageous terms in this flourishing company, by applying before the 25th inst., at the office of Weller & Jones, Pacific street, opposite City Hall. The company will commence extracting mercury with a new and much improved apparatus, in the course of a month; and the yield and quality of ore is such as to make this one of the safest and most profitable investments. Warranty deeds given. Terms cash. nov20

**HOME! SWEET HOME!!** F. COOMBS, Artist, in Daguerreotype Skylight Gallery, corner Clay and Montgomery streets, begs to inform those who may wish a perfectly finished picture to send home an early application to his assistants, although having three talented assistants—the young lady a splendid artist—yet he cannot always supply the demand, so great is the rush previous to the sailing of the steamers. Superb cases, &c., just received. Invoices, plates and cases bought and sold. n11 1ms

**NOTICE TO SHIPMASTERS AND OWNERS**—We, the undersigned, shipwrights of San Francisco, have completed our arrangements for heaving out vessels of any size, that may need overhauling from keel to light water. Mr. Thompson, a master rigger, may be found on board the ship Pico, south side Rincon Point, at all times, who will give immediate attention to orders left with him, or orders left at Hawley, Sterling & Co's, foot of Sacramento street, will be attended to. n7 1m\* Hudson, Smith & Lester

**PICKED UP ADRIFT**—The schr. CHESAPEAKE. The owner or owners of said vessel are requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away, otherwise she will be disposed of according to law. Apply to Wm. Benton, On board brig Ganges, foot of Pacific st. nov21

**TEN HOUSES** and Lots for sale, situated on Margaret street, between Valejo and Green streets, and Kearny and Dupont streets. Lots, 10 by 40; Houses, 14 by 28, 1 1-2 stories high. The above for sale at lowest terms for one-half cash, and half in 90 days. H. O'DONNELL, Broker, Pacific street.

**SAVING TO STOREKEEPERS AND RESTAURANTS**—Green coffee sent into the Java House roasted and ground, packed and delivered. McCormack & Co., Tea Dealers and Coffee Roasters, 244 Montgomery st. n11

**STATE WARRANTS**, for sale, in sums of \$100 each, convenient for the payment of state taxes, auction dues, licenses, &c. Inquire at the Pacific News office. ng 2 w

**POTATOES**—The cargo of J. B. Gager, just arrived from New Zealand, for sale by Rickett & Co., n19 tf foot of Jackson street wharf.

**NOISY CARRIER'S Business Directory**—Owing to the changes continually going on, and to keep people generally posted up with each other's whereabouts, the subscriber has made arrangements with the Proprietors of this Paper to occupy part of a column daily as a Directory, giving names, business, and location. The terms of which will be, One line, first insertion - - - 25 cts. Each subsequent do - - - 12 1-2 "

**Bankers**—Office hours from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. King, James of William, banker, corner Commercial and Montgomery sts. Wells & Co. Bankers, cor Clay and Mont.

**Brokers and Commission Merchants.** Badger, Wm. G., wholesale clothing and com mehts, traders, &c, Sansome st, betw Washington and Jackson streets. Bunster & Sproston, translators, custom house and ship brokers, California street, at De Boon, V. G & Co. Cazneau, Thomas N., insurance broker and Notary, Montgomery, corner Clay street. Coghill & Arrington, cor Jack'n & Sansome Cooke Brothers & Co., commission merchants, brick store California st. Dickson, Dewolf & Co., com. merchants, Merchants Exchange, & Wash. and Mont. Marriott, F. & Co., loan, land, scrip, mining and moneyagents, Montgomery st. McElwain, J., mdz broker, foot Clay st. Parsons, C., com. merch't, San's near B'way Ross, Daniel L., c Wash. and Mont., commission merchant; dry goods clothing, boots, and shoes, groceries, &c., no. 2, Clay street, in Kelsey, Smith & Risley's building. T'itcomb, John H. commission merchant, Washington, below Montgomery.

**Books and Stationery.** Bonesteel & Williston, books and stationery, post office piazza.

**Hotels and Restaurants.** Delmonico's, Mont, bet Wash and Clay st; Parker, W. W. foot of arch wharf. Revere House, J. W. Hammond, Montgomery, between Clay and Commercial. Wills & Curry, Refreshment Saloon, Goethie Hall, cor Jackson and Montgomery.



# ORIGIN OF THE PHRASE, WHO STRUCK BILLY PATTERSON?

Believing that few if any of your numerous readers know whence or how the saying that heads this article originated, and having accidentally become acquainted with the fact that it originated in this county, I have been at some trouble to ascertain the particulars, and now give them to you as follows:

About the year 1830, the Commissioners of this, York Co., Pa., when making their annual tour for the purpose of holding the appeals, stopped at Corner Ketch, Chanceford tp., at the public house of Mr. Ephraim McCleary. Peter Ahl, Sr., J. W. Hetrick, and the veritable Billy Patterson were the Commissioners—Daniel Small being their clerk. Captain Patterson was naturally fond of a good joke, but his wife having died but a short time before, he was low spirited and sad; and the others, for the purpose of rousing him from the lethargy into which he had fallen, commenced running rigs upon him. Becoming tired of their jokes, he determined to have some fun, cost what it might; and going into another room he found a little Irishman whose name was John Moffit, and told him that some person in the other room had struck him. Johnny became very angry when told that his old friend had been abused, had immediately went over into the other room with him, and sung out at the top of his voice, and almost choking with passion:—"Who struck Billy Patterson?"

The party assembled began to laugh boisterously, which only made Johnny the more angry; and as often as the mirth would subside a little, he would again cry out—"Just show me the man that struck Billy Patterson?"

And going up to Small, who was laughing loudly, he seized him by the throat and said:—"You dirty gripe, did you strike Billy Patterson?" and would have whipped him on the spot, but Patterson interfered, and told him he did not know who struck him, when Johnny left the room.

But little sleeping was done in that house, for every now and then, during the whole night, Johnny would cry out—"Who struck Billy Patterson?"

Or—"Show me the man that struck Billy Patterson?"

This soon became the popular cry at sales, public meetings &c., throughout the county and was given to the world by being published in one of the Lancaster, Pa., papers, from the statement made to the editor by Mr. McCleary, at whose house the joke was played off.

The actors in this little comedy in real life are all living, so far as known to me, excepting Mr. McCleary; and Capt. Wm. Patterson still lives in our midst, is as fond of fun as ever, and will never knock under, until struck by the hand of death. But to appreciate it, the reader should hear the Captain tell the story himself, for he throws into it a dry humor that would make a Don Quixote forget his whims, or provoke a saint to laughter.

Your, &c., J. C. York, York county, Pa. [Scott's Weekly Paper.

Etiquette.—The following remarks, in relation to the etiquette of a dinner party, appear in a fashionable London Journal: Married ladies precede the single. The lady of the house is the last to enter the dining room. People who are engaged, walk in together. Ladies do not dine with gloves on, and are not asked to take wine by gentlemen. There must be a salt-cellar for every two persons."

The London Correspondent of the Manchester Examiner tells an anecdote of the late Sir Robert Peel, to the effect that when his son Frederick made his successful maiden speech on the Jew Bill, which was so much talked of at the time, the fond and proud Sir Robert presented him with a check for 10,000 pounds.

The Tribune publishes the following pleasant paragraph, in a despatch from Washington: "Ten removals in the sixth auditor's office, to-day, by Mr. Corwin, and three in the third auditor's. A number of loco foco salaries curtailed, and those of good whigs increased."

WELCOME ARRIVAL.—The "Great Bull from Ninevah" will arrive in September, just in time to put an end to the Gorham controversy. [Punch.

# PROCLAMATION!!!

The Governor of the State of California, to all to whom these presents may come; Greeting:

In compliance with the long established and appropriate custom of our fathers, as well as in accordance with his own feelings, the undersigned, Governor of the State of California, hereby recommends that Saturday, the thirtieth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and fifty, be set apart and observed by the people of California, as a day of solemn thanksgiving to the Supreme Ruler of the Universe, for the unnumbered blessings bestowed by Him upon our young State and people; and especially for our admission into the happy family of States.

Given under my hand, at the Pueblo de San Jose, the fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty, and of the Independence of the United States, the seventy-fifth.

PETER H. BURNETT.

# GENERAL LAND AGENCY, San Francisco, California.

JOHN Y. BRYANT, ANDREW J. MOULDER, Attorneys at Law.

Office at Cronise Bros & Co., corner of Jackson and Montgomery streets.

JOHN Y. BRYANT, for the last fourteen years engaged in the General Land Office at Washington City, in the adjudication of pre-emption and every other description of land claims, has associated with him in the transaction of a General Land Agency Business, A. J. MOULDER, Esq., of Va. Long experience and an intimate knowledge of the laws of Congress relative to the various provisions made for the disposal of the public domain, together with a familiarity with official forms and precedents in the Department at Washington, and a prolonged acquaintance with the Executive officers, present inducements to those interested in landed property in California seldom offered.

Ample arrangements having been consummated at Washington, we feel justified in guaranteeing prompt and intelligent attention to all business confided to the care of this agency. Address (postage paid) Bryant & Moulder, San Francisco.

REFERENCE IS MADE TO THE Hon. William M. Gwin, U. S. Senate, Hon. Jas. Whitcomb, Hon. Jas. Shields, Hon. R. M. Young, Clerk Ho. of Rep. U. S., former Commissioner Gen. Land Office, Hon. Justin Butterfield, present Commissioner, Hon. John Wethered, Col. John C. Hays, Hon. John W. Geary, J. Winchester, Esq., Judge Shattuck, Bissell & Bancroft, Edward Howison, Esq., Prettyman, Barrol & Co., Sacramento, nov16 eodlm

# SACRAMENTO HOUSE, Broadway IS NOW OPEN for the reception of the Public.

This House is the largest, and its rooms better ventilated than any other establishment in San Francisco. The Dining Room is 60 by 25 feet. The sleeping apartments are well supplied with every thing necessary for comfort. There are forty rooms containing but one bedstead, furniture, &c. Adjoining which, is attached a Drawing Room, with private entrance on Broadway. The location is commanding, being only a few steps from the departure and landing of the steamers plying on the Sacramento river, and stopping at Benicia, Sacramento City, and all the principal towns and landings adjacent to the gold mines.

Passengers landing from ships, and directing the boat to land them at this House, will save a long walk and portage. Steps are provided in the rear of the House for boats to land passengers, baggage, &c. The Table, Bar, &c., is unsurpassed.

Jeffreys & Co., N. B. The House can be seen from any part of the Bay, it being the most prominent, commanding a full view of all the arrivals of steamers, shipping, &c. o22lm

# COUNTY AUDITORS are hereby required to comply immediately with the following section of an "Act prescribing the mode of assessing and collecting the public revenue."

"Sec. 35. He (the Auditor) shall make out and cause to be transmitted by mail or otherwise, to the Comptroller of State, on or before the first day of November of each year, a complete abstract of the property listed in his county, the valuation thereof, the number of polls, the amount of each kind of tax, and the aggregate thereof in the county, and certify the same, as also the rate of each kind of tax assessed."

Jno. S. Houston, Comptroller of State.

COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, San Jose, Nov. 20, 1850. n226t

The Alta California, Journal Stockton, and Transcript, Sacramento City, will publish the above 6 times.

CARD-GARNISS & CO., Auctioneers, beg leave to inform their friends and the public, that they have moved into their new and spacious Sales Rooms, in the Iron Building corner of Washington st. and Jones' lane, between Montgomery and Sansome sts, where they are prepared to transact the AUCTION and COMMISSION BUSINESS, on the most favorable terms. The arrangement of their rooms are such as to afford great facilities in the disposition of goods—the same being of a sufficient capacity to contain a cargo, which can be received from a canal in the rear. They solicit a share of the public patronage. o9 1m Garniss & Co.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Three large and three small houses, on California street, and on Broadway, well furnished, one of them in the most splendid style. Apply to

W. Schleiden, Ship and Customhouse Broker, from half past 9 to half past 3 o'clock, at his office, opposite the Customhouse; at any other time, at his residence on Broadway, between Dupont and Stockton sts. n2

FIRE APPARATUS For Sale—A first class forcing suction engine and hose carriage, with all appurtenances, and 625 feet new riveted hose. The whole in complete order, and now ready for immediate use. Winter & Latimer, Next door to Cross, Hobson & Co., Sansome street. o1

FOR SALE—TO PRINTERS—Two Washington Presses, at W. W. Down's Printing Press Manufactory, corner of Ohio and Pacific streets, or address Post Office, Box 469. o22 ft

# LOOK AT THIS, EMIGRANTS AND OTHERS!

300 FAMILIES WANTED, WHO wish Homes. Having completed my survey in the southern part of the city of San Jose, in all 900 lots, 25 by 47 1-2 varas, and being desirous to have improvements go on rapidly, I propose to give 300 lots to settlers who will build a neat, suitable house on each lot, and fence the same.

I have also over 100 lots, 50 varas square, in the Old Survey of the city, which I will sell low, and give time on part. The lots I own in the Old and New surveys of the city are decidedly the best locations for buildings, being high and dry, and never subject to overflow; with the very best mountain water, obtained at the depth of 12 to 14 feet.

I think lumber shippers would do well to call and take a look at my lots. I will give them lots to build houses on, or will exchange lots for lumber of all kinds, or houses.

THE VALLEY.—We have a greater number of acres equal to the best Illinois land, than can be seen in any other north or east of us, in California; and the grain-growing portions of the world, so far as I am acquainted, cannot equal us in producing wheat, both in quality and quantity: 60 bushels have been raised to the acre, and there can be seen now in the fields and gardens of our farmers, as fine crops as a majority of the States can produce at and vegetables of all kinds in abundance growing, and that too, without rain or watering.

CLIMATE AND HEALTH.—Listen, now:—The average summer heat is 75 to 80 degs., with cool nights; no musquitoes, day or night; no fever and ague, and no disease peculiar to the valley or town, winter or summer.—We have some of the first settlers living with us yet, over 100 years of age, and one in particular, over 110, sound in body and mind. We have had but one death out of the immigration of 1846, an old gentleman, who was broken down with disease before he came to our city.

THE MORALS of our city and vicinity will, I make no doubt, compare with those of the best of our neighboring cities and towns. We are a law abiding and a law supporting people, and have our churches and schools as well as others. Persons wishing lots will apply soon to the subscriber in the south end of the city. JAMES F. REED. City San Jose, 4th Aug. 1850. n4 tf

IN JUSTICE'S COURT.—Before Brown, George W. Bushnell vs. M. Expert, M. Massurier, and his sons. Same Court.—William B. White vs. same defendant. To M. Expert, M. Massurier, and his sons, defendants in the above causes: Complaints in these two cases were filed in my office, San Francisco, California, by said Bushnell and White respectively, Aug. 16th, 1850, against you, as owners of the bark Gustavo, for a breach of your contract, made in May last, with said Bushnell and White, respectively, have been issued by me, returnable the 22d of August, 1850; August 16th, aforesaid, said bark, tackle, &c. was levied upon, by virtue thereof. You are required to appear and answer said complaint, February 24th, 1851, at 10 o'clock, a.m., of that day, at my office. H. S. Brown, Justice of the Peace. o1 6m23d

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—All persons having claims against the estate of James Wills and Henry Farmer, deceased, are hereby requested to present the same to the undersigned, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months from this date: in default thereof they will be forever barred. All persons indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to Joseph Henriques, Public Administrator, Office on Commercial street, next door to Dart & Gales, up stairs. n2 2w1m Nov. 2, 1850.

ADMINISTRATOR'S Notice.—All persons having claims against the estate of Charles R. Bimley, Henry Bonfield and George Greshold, deceased, are hereby requested to present them to the undersigned, within ten months from this date; in default thereof they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment. Joseph Henriques, Public Administrator city San Francisco. Office, Commercial street, next door to Dart & Gales, up stairs. o25 41w

ADMINISTRATOR'S Notice.—All persons having claims against the estate of Samuel C. Davis, deceased, are requested to present them to the undersigned, within ten months from this date; in default thereof they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estate will make immediate payment to Jo. Clements, Administrator, corner of Washington and Kearny streets, "Verandah" building. nov. 5, 1850. n5 law6w

F. Argenti & Co., Bankers, San Francisco, Montgomery st., between Clay and Commercial, refer to and draw on—Brown, Brothers & Co., New York, Brown, Shipley & Co., Liverpool, Samuel Nicholson & Co., New Orleans, Alex. Brown & sons, Baltimore, Browns & Bowen, Philadelphia, Jas. Adger & Co., Charleston, Morrell & Dickey, Mobile, T. B. Curtis, Esq., Boston, Geo. B. Cumming, Savannah. Gold sold bought or insured, and forwarded to the U. States at the lowest rates. o1

AT A PROBATE COURT held at the City Hall in the city of San Francisco, on the 14th Nov., 1850: Present, Hon. R. N. Moanison, Probate Judge. In the matter of the estate of Thomas Larkin, deceased: Ordered, that Nov. 28th, 1850, at 10 a.m. be appointed for the hearing of the petition of Theodore Shillaber and A. P. Everett, praying for probate of the Will of Thos. Larkin, deceased. n15 2aw J. E. Addison, Clerk.

# RULES OF PRACTICE THE OF COUNTY COURT OF SAN FRANCISCO—Sitting for the Trial of Appeals:

1. It shall be the duty of Justices of the Peace to endorse on the transcript the names of the Attorneys, if any, who appeared on the trial before him.
2. It shall be the duty of the Clerk to make up a docket of the causes entered for trial, in the order in which the appeal papers are filed; one copy for the court, and one for the use of the Bar.
3. Causes may be entered at the foot of the docket for trial, at any time during the first week of the term, by filing a stipulation to that effect.
4. A day docket of Jury causes will be made up after the first day of the term, from the regular docket, in their order, and of such as may be specially set down for trial by the Court, a list of which shall be posted by the Clerk on the Court-room door, and none others will be called for trial that day.
5. The party or attorney moving a jury cause for trial shall pay the jurors fees on the rendition of the verdict, and in default thereof will be held as standing in contempt, and liable to attachment.
6. After the first day of the term, if neither party answer on a cause being called in its order, it will go to the foot of the docket.
7. No default will be taken on the first day of the term, and no cause will be tried on that day, except both parties are ready.
8. In cases where a jury is waived, it shall be the duty of the parties or their attorneys to file a stipulation to that effect with the Clerk of the Court on the first day of the term.
9. Witnesses may be examined de bene esse before the Commissioners appointed by this Court, on one day's notice to the opposite party, and in cases of emergency on such notice as the circumstances may allow.
10. Special motions will be heard on each day, at the opening of the Court, at ten o'clock, A. M., on one day's notice, or on order to show cause.
11. The Court will be kept open by adjournment after the docket is disposed of, for hearing motions and such other business as may be necessary, on Monday of each week, at 12 m., until the commencement of next term.
12. In all cases not herein provided for, the rules of practice of the District Court will be followed. o19 tf

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court, 4th Judicial District, county of San Francisco and State of California, duly tested and dated November 18th, 1850, in the case of John H. Merrill against Charles E. Pickett, wherein a judgment was rendered in the sum of Fourteen Hundred dollars and fifty cents, against the said Pickett, and the said Pickett, besides the accruing costs; said execution being to me directed and having been levied on; all that certain lot or parcel of land situate in the city of San Francisco, commencing at the southwest corner of Powell and Chestnut streets, running thence southerly on the west side of Powell street fifty varas, thence westerly parallel with Chestnut street fifty varas, thence northerly and parallel with Powell street fifty varas, to the south side of Chestnut street, thence easterly on the south side of Chestnut street fifty varas to the place of beginning, said lot being 60 varas square, and numbered on the map of said city (685). Now, by virtue of said execution and the proceedings under the same, I shall expose for sale to the highest bidder for cash in front of the Court House, at the hour of 11 o'clock, A. M., on WEDNESDAY, the 4th day of December, 1850, the above described lot of land. John C. Hays, Sheriff. By John S. Powers, Dep. Sheriff. n14

COMMISSIONERS OF Deeds.—Notice.—In accordance with Section 5 of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act empowering the Governor to appoint Commissioners of Deeds, and defining the duties of such Officers," approved March 20, 1850, notice is hereby given that the following persons have been appointed Commissioners as provided in said Act, to reside at the places mentioned, viz: J. H. Cheney, Boston, Mass. Ebenezer Robbins, Oneida co., N. Y. Samuel Ward, City of New York. Alexander W. Foster, Pittsburgh, Pa. Harry T. Hoyt, New Orleans, La. T. Bailey Myers, City of New York. Graham L. Hughes, Liberty, Mo. James M. Hughes, St. Louis, Mo. W. M. F. Cooper, Nashville, Tenn. Daniel E. Sickles, city of New York. L. D. Champlin, Cincinnati, Ohio. Ed. Shippen, Philadelphia, Pa. B. E. Graves, Lexington, Ky. W. B. Parker, Portsmouth, N. H. J. B. Ogden, Van Buren, Ark. Jno. J. Plume, New York City. Jno. F. Ennis, Washington, D. C. Chas. Findley, Baltimore, Md. D. C. Labatt, New Orleans, La. A. C. Waugh, Mobile, Ala. Geo. H. Hickman, Baltimore. Jno. H. White, New York City. Chas. J. Bushnell, do. Jno. H. Watson, St. Louis, Mo. Chas. De Selding, Washington, D. C. Wm. Van Voorhies, Secretary of State. Office of Secretary of State, San Jose, Oct. 25, 1850. o28 6tw

STATE Marine Hospital.—The Commissioners of Health for the port of San Francisco, have taken the building on Stockton street, lately known and occupied as the American Hotel, and have converted the same into a State Marine Hospital.

The public are informed that the Hospital is now open for the reception of patients. The public authorities of the city of San Francisco, and all persons of the city, port, citizens, and all persons not entitled to hospital privileges, are also informed that patients will be admitted at this hospital for the moderate sum of \$25 per week, in advance, including board, lodging and medical attendance.

For admission, apply at the Hospital, to the Resident Physician Lorenzo Hubbard, M. D., Resident Physician.

N. B. No patient laboring under an infectious or contagious disease will be treated at this Hospital, but a suitable place will be provided for them, on application as above. o1

CONSTABLE SALE.—By virtue of executions issued from Justice H. G. Brown, Court, in suits Chas. Grunier Loomate, Fortune, Chevalier, Lewis Horn and Alfred Roncorien vs. Compion and Pietro, I shall offer for sale the contents of house and lease for the term of six months from the 6th of Oct., now under the name of Cafe Franklin, situated on Montgomery, between Sacramento and California streets. To be sold on the premises, MONDAY, 25th November, 1850, at 12 o'clock m. Wm. Cummings, Constable. n15 tds

# KLAMATH GOLD MINES, River and Town.—One of the most extensive fields for speculation at present in California.

The attention of the public is now called to this very important part of California. The town of Klamath is situated on the bank and at the vicinity of the mouth of a river, upon the numerous tributaries of which the most productive and extensive gold mines have been discovered of any now in existence in California. The Harbor (at the upper end of which this beautiful town site is situated) is both commodious and secure, and possesses the very superior advantage over all the other ports upon the coast between the Columbia river and San Francisco of a perfectly safe entrance. The river is a magnificent stream and navigable by steamers, according to the opinion of steamboat captains and others in every way competent to judge of the matter, at least 70 miles up; at, and even below which point, these very rich gold mines commence. Merchants and capitalists who are desirous of realizing a handsome profit upon their goods and an enormous return for their capital cannot enter into a better speculation or make a more safe investment of their means in any part of California, from the fact that there are at present about 2000 miners at work upon this river and its tributaries; and there is every reason to believe, from the numerous satisfactory statements of the miners, relative to their success during the last year, that next year there will be many times the number. The immediate rush to these mines from all parts will be immense, and in fact almost unprecedented; and this town, which may be said to be adjacent, in consequence of the water communication into the very heart of them, must and will undoubtedly be insured a speedy and almost magic growth, and by this time next year will be a very respectable rival to (if not totally eclipsing) Sacramento and Stockton. Miners who have, during the last summer expended to such a deplorable extent their useless toil and labor in the southern mines, and have actually lost money in the place of making it, by the unsuccessful and numerous damming operations, and the scarcity of gold there, are strongly recommended to turn their attention to these mines, as the average amount dug last year, putting it at an infinitely lower estimate than from the statements of the miners we would be warranted in putting it, one ounce per day to the man. This alone is sufficient to justify the opinion that there is ample room for more, and when it is taken into consideration that not over one tenth part of the gold region has as yet been explored, the certainty of room is rendered beyond doubt. The enormous tax upon the miners for packing of provisions will next year be effectually obviated by the aid of water communication, which extends into the very heart of the mines. Goods can be taken from the deck of steamers by the miners in the place of the pack-saddle of the mule, and provisions now furnished at an expense of \$150 for the mere packing, can be afforded for ten cents, thus enabling the miner to lay by the fruits of their labor, instead of expending so great a quota for subsistence. To persons wishing to invest capital to an advantage in town lots, an almost unparalleled money making speculation is now open; as lots at the present time can be procured at a comparatively low figure, and the price that they will be disposed of next spring will be high. Arrangements have been made for a steamer to ply between the town and the mines, which will warrant to miners the supply of provisions forthwith. A map of the town and river can be seen at Messrs. Shultz & Palmer's, foot of Jackson street; at Bullett & Patrick's, corner of Jackson and Sansome streets; and at Worthington, Beale & Bunting's.

Any required information respecting the Mines, River, Town and Harbor, by application to Mr. John Gray, at Messrs. Schultz & Palmer, or to Mr. T. Bunting, at the firm of Worthington, Beale & Bunting, on Montgomery street. o15

THE PEOPLE of the State of California: To John Pile. By order of the District Court of the county of San Joaquin, at the May term thereof, A. D. 1850. You are hereby summoned to be and appear before said court, on the 4th Monday after the second Monday of November next ensuing, to answer Mary Anne Murray, of a bill of complaint exhibited against you and a certain Henry Lyne, and filed in the Clerk's Office of said court on the 14th day of May, A. D. 1850, by Mary Anne Murray, plaintiff, for the foreclosure of you, the said John Pile and the said Henry Lyne, of and from all equity of redemption of, in and to certain property situated in the town of Stockton, described in a mortgage executed by you to the said Murray, bearing date the 15th day of October, A. D. 1849; and you are notified that unless you appear at the time and place mentioned, and answer to said complaint, the same will be taken for confessed, and a decree entered accordingly.

A. C. BRADFORD, Clerk. E. L. B. Brooks, for plaintiff. o1\*

LAW BOOKS and Stationery.—Just received, a large invoice of law books, which we offer cheap for cash. Civil code of Louisiana, New Clerk's Assistant, third edition; Louisiana digest, Starkie on evidence, Chitty on pleading, Blackstone's commentaries, Jarman on wills, Martins on reports, Kaupman's Maxkeley, Deslax's digest, Benjamin & Slidell's digest enlarged, Deslax's general Index from 1800 to 1845, together with a large assortment, too numerous to mention, for sale wholesale and retail by

Cooke & Lecount, Booksellers and Stationers, Wells & Co. Buildings, Montgomery street. o1\*

BOAT STOLEN.—Cut adrift from the stern of brig James Caskie, night of the 12th inst., a yawl boat, about 23 feet long, bottom painted white, black top, inside green and lead color, iron row sockets. Whoever will return said boat, or give information of her, where she may be found, to J. F. Stuart & Co., Jackson street, or Master on board, will be suitably rewarded. o14 tf Oliver O. Jones,

ADMINISTRATOR'S Notice.—All persons having claims against the estate of Jacob Hina, (a Kanaka,) deceased, are requested to present them to the undersigned within ten months from this date, in default thereof they will be forever barred. Those indebted to said estate will make immediate payment.

H. G. Blankman, Administrator. Office in Commercial street, next door to Dart & Gale, up stairs. o28 law4t

REAL ESTATE.—A bargain. 2 lots in California street will be sold cheap, if applied for immediately at the office of

W. Schleiden, Ship and Custom House broker, Montgomery street, opposite the Custom house. o7 tf

# THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE of California, District of the County of Santa Clara: Jose De Arnez vs. Genoveva Garcia Mangel, Emanuel Mangel and Lorenzo Geffroy. Petition to foreclose mortgage, &c.

Whereas, JOSE DE ARNEZ filed in this Court on the 16th day of May, 1850, his petition, showing, among other things, that on the 20th day of December, 1849, Genoveva Garcia Mangel, the wife of Emanuel Mangel, was the owner in fee of a certain house and lot in San Jose, adjoining and in the rear of the house lately occupied by Messrs. Larrain, Benitez & Co., and fronting on Garcia street, and on that day mortgage the same, with the consent of Emanuel Mangel, her husband, to said Arnez, to secure the sum of five hundred and sixty dollars, payable four months from date: That afterwards, on or about the 15th day of January, 1850, said Emanuel Mangel and Genoveva G. Mangel executed a mortgage on the same premises to one Geoffrey, of San Francisco, for about fourteen hundred dollars; which said mortgage was falsely dated the 19th of December, 1849, with intent to defeat the prior mortgage lien on said real estate, and to cheat and defraud said petitioner out of his debt. Said petitioner prays discovery and full answer to the above facts, that said mortgage to Geoffrey be set aside as fraudulent, and that said premises be sold to pay petitioner's mortgage, and for general relief.

And it being proved by affidavit to the satisfaction of this Court that Emanuel Mangel is a non-resident of this State, notice is hereby given to Emanuel Mangel to be and appear before the Honorable Court of the Third Judicial District, for the County of Santa Clara, on the fourth Monday of December, 1850, at the court house in San Jose, then and there to answer said petition, or, in default thereof, the allegation therein contained will be heard in your absence and decreed accordingly.

Given under my hand and private seal, there being no seal of of L. S. fice yet provided at this office, this 24th of May, A. D. 1850. je1 H. C. MALONE, Clerk.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, County of Santa Clara: The People of the State of California to Isidora de la Torre de Mazatlan, Mexico, Alexander Forbes, William Barron, and Eustachio Barron, of Tepic, Mexico:

By order of the Hon. John H. Watson, Judge of the District Court of the county of Santa Clara, given on the 22d day of October, 1850. You are hereby summoned to be and appear before said court on the fourth Monday of April, A. D. 1851, to answer the complaint of M. Z. B. Berreyesa, Wo. of Jose Reyes, of Ma. C. Berreyesa, and her husband; Ler. Pinedo of Loreto Berreyesa, and her husband; J. Bijonques, of S. Berreyesa, J. S. Berreyesa, N. Berreyesa, F. Berreyesa, Fer. Berreyesa, M. Berreyesa and her husband; J. Fernandez, of W. R. Bassham, tutor of J. E. Berreyesa, and of Richard Roman, James Hepburn, and C. V. Stewart, against yourselves and James A. Forbes, Robert Walkenshaw, and John Parrott, filed in the Clerk's Office of said court at San Jose, on the 5th day of October, 1850, by the said plaintiffs, to recover from you the possession of a certain tract of land; being a portion of the Rancho de la Canada de los Capitancillas, alias San Vicente, and bounded and described as follows, viz: all the western portion of said rancho lying between the rancho de las Capitancillas, belonging to William Wiggins, and the arroyo de los Alamitos, with a tract lying east of and along said arroyo, of half a mile in width, and running to the Sierra, which land, and more especially the Mine, Hacienda, and appurtenances of New Almaden, thereon situate, the said plaintiffs claim as their property, and that you unlawfully retain possession thereof since the first day of February, 1845. Wherefore they pray to have you ejected from the same, and to recover from you seven hundred thousand dollars, as the rents and profits thereof since the said 1st day of February, 1845, and also three hundred thousand dollars damages for the trespasses and wrongs by you committed thereon. And you are notified that unless you appear and answer said complaint at the time and place mentioned, that the same will be heard upon default and a decree entered accordingly.

Given under my hand and private seal, there being no seal of office yet provided at this office, this 17th day of October, 1850.

H. C. Malone, Clerk. Weller & Jones, for plaintiffs. o21 6m

THE STATE of California.—In the District Court of the Fourth Judicial District, for the County of San Francisco. GODEFFROY, SILEM & Co. vs. ALBERT PRIEST

The People of the State of California to Albert Priest, send greeting: You are hereby summoned to appear in the said District Court of the county of San Francisco, on or before the first Monday in May next, and answer the complaint of Alfred Godeffroy and William Sillem, residents of said San Francisco, and copartners in trade under the firm of style of Godeffroy, Sillem & Co., filed with the Clerk of said Court on the 12th day of October, 1850, whereby they, the said plaintiffs, claim the sum of five thousand six hundred and forty-five 50-100 dollars, exclusive of interest, damages and costs of suit, and found their claim on a certain bill of exchange drawn by said Albert Priest, dated the 24th day of June, A. D. 1850, at Brunswick, Germany, on Henry M. Naglee, at San Francisco, and requested him, the said Naglee, ten days after sight, to pay to the order of Messieurs J. C. Godeffroy and Son, Hambro, Germany, the sum of five thousand six hundred and forty-five 50-100 dollars in gold dust at sixteen dollars per ounce, Troy, for value received, and endorsed by said J. C. Godeffroy & Son to the said plaintiffs or order; accepted by said Naglee and protested for non-payment.

Witness, Hon. Levi Parsons, Judge of [L.S.] said Court, at the Court House thereof, this 18th day of October, A. D. 1850

Attest, John E. Addison, Clerk, by Jas. D. Galbraith, Dep. Clerk. o19 lamdm